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[BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CORTEZ (Honduras) Dec. [Exclusive Dispatch.] Out- of the most atrocious nature perpetrated upon Americans servants of the Davila gov- Honduras. Zelaya, the de- dent of Nicaragua, has been with heaping indignities upon but the ex-dictator will the palm for savagery to the minions of Pres- of Honduras.

the facts in a case which to make the blood flowing the veins of every American rage and indignation.

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walking on the street of Puerto Cortez, just after leaving my work, I was accosted by several policemen, who had two other Americans in their custody and was ordered by the officers to go with the Americans and bury a dead Honduran pauper. After explaining to the policemen that I could not do this, as I had to return to my work, they adopted forcible means to compel me to go, using their clubs, with which they beat me over the head. I thereupon pushed aside the two policemen nearest me and ran to the house of a friend.

"The officers then went to the barracks and returned with about ten soldiers, all armed with rifles. They broke down the door of the house in which I had sought refuge and took me out and placed me in jail. After I was placed in jail the soldiers formed a cordon around me with fixed bayonets, while one of the policemen gave me twenty-five lashes with a rawhide whip.

FORCIBLY DEPORTED.

"They also whipped the other two Americans in a like manner. After compelling us to bury the pauper, they had us in jail for four days and then took us aboard the Honduran gunboat Taitumbia, which vessel carried us out of the country and landed us in the woods in Guatamalan territory, penniless and without food.

"I remained out of the country for some time before I made up my mind to return to Honduras. When I returned I was again arrested on the same old charge of refusing to bury a Honduran pauper. I was confined in jail at San Pedro for twenty-five days before I was released through the intervention of some influential friends."

MOUNT ETNA THREATENING.

Red-Hot Material Erupting, Causing Fear Among Sicilian Villagers.

[Associated Press Night Report.]
CATANIA (Sicily) Dec. 27.—Mt. Etna is showing considerable activity. There have been no earth tremors, but red hot material has been erupted, making a striking contrast with the snow-capped volcano.

Villagers living near the crater, remembering former experiences, are keeping a close watch on the volcano in fear of being overwhelmed.

Topics From the Wires—Events From the Reporters.

News in The Times This Morning

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Judge Cross hands down ruling which exempts women from producing love letter as evidence in a big civil suit.

Medicine man of the Pluto Indians is killed by a fanatical red who alleges dead man exercised a malign influence.

Colton City Hall narrowly escapes burning and theories are that it was result of carelessness, or some one tried to burn the building.

District Attorney of San Diego county submits opinion that it will be legal for newly-elected officials to take their oaths on January 3.

Pastor of Bakersfield church is fired because he accepted job as laborer and wore overalls about the city streets.

Anaheim and Fullerton are considering plans for combining their High Schools, and establishing new features to the course.

Motorcycle rider collides with team at Monrovia, and sustains injuries which may prove fatal.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Educators of central portion of State met yesterday in annual convention at Berkeley; sessions to last until Friday.

Terribly damaging letter was yesterday introduced in trial of Dr. Burke of Santa Rosa, but not read to jury; woman's shame dragged forth by attorneys for defense.

Governor of Nevada, acting as Santa Claus, narrowly escaped bad burns when traditional costume caught fire last Saturday night.

GENERAL EASTERN. New York bank closed yesterday by order of the State Superintendent of Banks, after the chairman of the Executive Committee tried to commit suicide and was sent to a sanatorium.

Two persons were killed and more than fifty injured in street car collision last night on the Kansas City inter-city viaduct.

West Virginia mob for hours yesterday surrounded express station, clamoring for life of negro fiend concealed by officers in almost air-tight vault pending arrival of troops.

Survivor of Civil War was yesterday found held in solitary confinement on Connecticut farm, an imprisonment which had lasted continuously for more than forty-one years.

Richard Canfield, "King of Gimblers," a few days ago announced his absolute retirement from the "business," in obedience to a request from his little daughter.

Hale and hearty, New York State twins on Christmas Day celebrated their ninety-third birthday anniversary.

Government yesterday dismissed civil suit against beef trust in Chicago, in order to permit more vigorous prosecution of indicted packers.

Further rioting took place yesterday in Chicago garment workers' strike, but many strikers returned to work, and end of trouble is believed to be in sight.

Recent conference of railroad traffic men at Chicago has resulted in material freight rate concessions being made from New York and Chicago to Los Angeles and other Pacific Coast points.

Will of late John La Farge, artist and author, filed for probate in New York yesterday, named no legatees nor amount of estate.

WASHINGTON. Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday granted railroads extension of time in which to discontinue switching charges in Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Case of Commander William S. Sims, whose pro-British speech in London caused much comment, has been placed in hands of President Taft.

New apportionment will give national Legislature total membership of 435, or one to every 211,700 of population.

Yesterday's dispatches made it known that President Taft has definitely decided to become a candidate to succeed himself in 1912.

FOREIGN. Tale of outrage and indignity heaped upon American is related in dispatches received yesterday from Honduras.

Passengers arriving in New Orleans yesterday report that revolution is about to break forth in Honduras, with hundreds of men lined up on the border, awaiting opportunity for armed invasion.

Mount Aetna, according to dispatches received yesterday, is once more in active eruption; villagers watch for fear of being overwhelmed.

FINANCIAL. Reports of rain or snow in sections where most needed tended yesterday to make price of wheat sag in Chicago market; corn gained [illegible] good value, but later reacted on heavy selling.

Yesterday's Stock Exchange transactions in New York showed same, if not more pronounced trend toward reaction which has characterized last week.

Newly Crowned King of the Air and the Power Behind the Throne.

Arch Hoxsey and His Mother Watching Him Fly at Aviation Field.
It was the first time Mrs. Hoxsey had seen her son in an aeroplane, and when eh disappeared in the clouds in a flight for altitude she showed her anxiety, but bravely smiled her fears away.

Labor.

CHICAGO STRIKE BREAKING DOWN.

HUNDREDS RETURN TO WORK; THOUSANDS WANT TO.

Two Days of Feasting Followed by Further Rioting by Pickets, But Garment Workers Show Disposition to Take Places Offered Before Chance is Gone.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following two days of feasting, the bitter feud between the 45,000 striking garment workers and their employers flamed out anew today and early-morning rioting presaged another day of bloodshed.

The first trouble reported occurred near the factories of Hart, Schaffner & Marx at North Wood and Blucher streets. Twelve pickets approached workers as they were entering the factory and private detectives interfered.

According to the report made to the police, the union pickets had stopped a number of girls and were trying to persuade them to join the ranks of the strikers when the detectives appeared.

A bitter argument concerning the right of the pickets to deal with the Hart, Schaffner & Marx employees followed. The wordy war ended in an exchange of blows. A general fight ensued, in which bricks were hurled and shots exchanged. A riot call was turned in, but when the police appeared the combatants had disappeared.

What was declared by many to be the beginning of the end of the garment workers' strike came today, when 1500 strikers returned to work and applications for reinstatement were received from approximately 2500. Some of the shops were working at from 75 to 90 per cent. of their normal capacity, and manufacturers declared that, after the remaining vacant places were filled, the strikers who still remain out would have to look elsewhere for work. None of thousands of strike breakers who have been employed will be dismissed, unless incompetent, it was announced, and the strikers who wish to go back will have to take their chances of getting employment, according to the manufacturers.

There was no stampede back to work today, but in all the larger shops former strikers could be seen at work. They had been out of labor for three months and, seeing no hope of a settlement on the closed-shop basis, decided to return before someone else got their places.

SEYFERLICH IS CHIEF.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—First Assistant Fire Marshal Charles Seyferlich was made fire marshal of Chicago today in the place of James Horan, who, with twenty-two others, were killed in the stock yards fire last week.

Has Faith in Her Boy.

HOXSEY'S MOTHER IS TO FLY AND FEARS NOT THE RESULT.

Shares With Her Son His Belief That Until His Time Comes to Die He Is Safe in the Air—Young Aviator Wins Fame in Six Months—Fine Character of Youth Who Has Become His Parent's Support.

"MOTHER" sat in the grand stand yesterday when Arch Hoxsey made one of the altitude flights by which he has become the greatest aviation star in the world.

She found out what it is like to be the mother of an international hero; also what it is like to see one's son and heir diving head first down a mile-long swoop through the air.

She seemed about equally calm under the two experiences. Her one ambition is to go up in the aeroplane with him, and Hoxsey has promised to take her. It is to be a little secret joy ride early some morning before the crowd arrives.

Hoxsey's mother is a quiet, well-bred woman upon whom the years have left little mark.

"This is the second time I have seen my son fly," she said yesterday. "I flight of 9000 feet. That was the first time I had ever seen an aeroplane.

"I can't say I was alarmed in the least. Some of the people around me in the grand stand seemed to feel greatly alarmed for his safety. I had no fear. I got over that long ago.

"Perhaps my son's attitude of mind reassures me. He says he feels that when his time comes to die, he will die and until that time comes he is just as safe in the air as on the ground. I can honestly say that I am not as much worried about him now as when he was an automobile chauffeur.

"He is my only boy, and I think we have been nearer to one another than a mother and son usually are because we have been alone. His father died years ago when my boy was very young. I brought him out to California, and we lived in Glendora. He was a very delicate child and I used to send him out into the mountains with a dog and a gun to run wild in the hope that it would benefit his health. I was anxious that he should be a machinist and, to help him become established in

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One Way.

BANKER TRIES TO KILL SELF.

Now in Sanatorium, Bank Closed.

"Certain Irregularities" Are Vaguely Mentioned by New York Official.

Financier Interested in Many Other Companies That Are Involved.

Directors Call Hurried Meeting and Turn Case Over to Authorities.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Northern Bank of New York, with deposits in its nine branches of $4,912,842 at the time of its last published statement, was closed today by O. H. Cheney, State Superintendent of Banks, "for the benefit of the depositors," because of "certain conditions," and "also certain irregular transactions."

An inventory of the bank's assets and liabilities is now under way, but until it is completed, no further statement from Supt. Cheney will be available.

W. H. Hotchkiss, State Superintendent of Insurance, and Dist.-Atty. Whitman are co-operating with him. They hope to present the facts to the grand jury tomorrow.

Joseph G. Robin, chairman of the Executive Committee of the bank and a shareholder and director in many other corporations, is in a private sanatorium at Central Valley, N. Y., to which he was committed last Saturday by Justice Amend of the State Supeme Court, at the request of his sister, on the certificate of two physicians.

ACUTE PARANOIA.

James H. Gifford, of counsel for the bank, and one of its directors, announced tonight that physicians had diagnosed the case as acute paranoia. Robin tried to kill himself in his apartments last Saturday night, but was restrained by a nurse, according to Mr. Gifford.

"On Friday night," said Mr. Gifford, "after irregularities had been discovered, another director and myself went to the apartments of Mr. Robin. We could not get a connected statement from him. It was plain that he did not realize the seriousness of our mission.

"I knew nothing about the irregularities nor do I think any of the other directors did until they were revealed by the examiners of the banking department, and our own investigators. We held out hope that conditions would right themselves until Monday night, when, at a meeting which lasted for hours, we called upon the State Banking Department to step in.

"A copy of the request was turned over to the department and Superintendent Cheney can make it public if he wishes. We do not care to. We wish to do nothing that might embarrass the public officials."

STATEMENT BY HOTCHKISS.

Superintendent Hotchkiss was drawn into the case through the fact that Robin held a controlling interest in the Aetna Indemnity Company of Hartford, Ct., capitalized at $250,000, which does business in this State. The relations of the Aetna with the Northern Bank and of both with the Title and Guarantee Company of Rochester, form the subject matter of a long statement by Superintendent Hotchkiss.

The directors of the Aetna admitted tonight that "the report given out by the insurance department" was correct in essential particulars. The statement of Mr. Hotchkiss follows, in part:

"Joseph G. Robin was, in March last, the controlling stockholder of the Aetna Indemnity Company and apparently of the Northern Bank of New York. One of the chief assets of the Aetna Indemnity Company (a Connecticut corporation in no way related to the Aetna Fire Insurance Company) was, according to the statement of December 31, 1909, 1500 shares, or the entire issue, of the corporate stock of the Title and Guarantee Company of Rochester.

"The latter is a New York insurance corporation authorized to do a fidelity and a title guarantee business. This corporation had, however, been dormant for some time. A lease of its little plant to a Rochester abstract company produced an income which, in addition to its other assets, gave the stockholders a value of $169,500 out of the total assets of the Aetna company of approximately $1,000,000.

KELSEY INTERESTED.

"Coincident with an increase in the capital stock of the Aetna Indemnity Company last spring Robin seems to have opened negotiations for the purchase from it of the Rochester Company. About that time, both companies elected new officers, former Superintendent Kelsey (Otto H. Kelsey,) of the state insurance department, becoming president of both.

"It appears that shortly prior to this time, Robin, as one of the witnesses said, had stated that he would purchase from the Aetna the stock of the title and guarantee company. On the strength of this statement—for there was no contrast until October, 1910—the assets of the Rochester company were turned over to him on March 28, and without the knowledge of President Kelsey or other officers of the two interested insurance companies, dis-

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Must Face Music.

PACKERS WILL BE PROSECUTED.

Government Means Business in Beef Trust Case.

Will Push Criminal Charges; Civil Suit Dropped.

Immunity Baths Cut Out By Latest Action.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The dissolution suit against the National Packing Company, pending in the United States District Court since last March, was dismissed by Judge C. C. Kohlsaat today at the request of Dist.-Atty. E. W. Sims. The move of the government's attorneys in having the suit dismissed was not unexpected by those in close touch with the "beef trust" investigation.

When the policy of indicting individuals instead of corporations was laid down by Atty.-Gen. Wickersham and President Taft it was believed the civil suit against the packing company would be dismissed if the directors were indicted by the Federal grand jury.

"We can now go ahead with the criminal proceedings against the packers unhampered by any civil suits," Mr. Sims said after the order dismissing the suit had been rendered. "The grand jury investigation in the 'beef' matter has been successful and the government will go ahead with the criminal prosecution of the packers as the cases against them are far stronger than in the civil suits."

WILL PUSH CRIMINAL CASES.

It took but a short time to have the dismissal order read. Mr. Sims and his chief assistant, James H. Wilkerson, explained briefly to the court that it was the desire of the Attorney-General that the case be stricken from the docket, as the civil suit was bound to interfere with the successful outcome of the trials of the packers on the indictments that have been returned against them.

The dissolution suit never has been called for actual trial. It has been placed on the calendar several times, but each time the attorneys for the defendant company have been granted a continuance.

Directors of the National Packing Company are under indictment for practically the same offenses as are named in the suit against the packing company.

Attorneys for the defendants are scheduled to appear before Judge Carpenter tomorrow morning and argue minor preliminary motions. It is believed that when these motions have been heard and disposed of a date of trial of the packers will be set. This probably will be done before the end of the week.

STATEMENT BY SIMS.

Assistant United States District Attorney James H. Wilkerson late today issued the following statement regarding his action.

"The petition against the packers was filed on March 21, 1910. Afterwards there was a grand jury investigation, as a result of which indictments were returned charging some of the defendants in the bill with criminal violations of anti-trust laws.

"Since the return of those indictments, the defendants in the equity cases have asked several extensions of time in which to answer and those extensions have always been granted.

"The purpose of the dismissal of the equity cases is to make clear the position of the governments that the trial of the criminal cases is to be vigorously pushed and is to be interfered with in no way whatever by the pendency of the equity cases in the Circuit Court.

"It may be that a resort to a petition in equity to enjoin future violations will be entirely unnecessary if the government's contention is established in the criminal cases.

"The Attorney-General, therefore, directed the dismissal of the equity case without prejudice. Further proceedings to enjoin future violations can, of course, be instituted, if those proceedings should be found necessary to maintain fully the position of the government in this litigation."

Through.

GAMBLING KING QUITS CAREER.

CURE OF CARDS AND GREEN TABLE BROKEN.

Richard Canfield, Famous on Two Continents, Forswears All Games of Chance—Not Cold Feet But Love for Little Daughter Leads Him to Determination.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The title of "King of the Gamblers," once held by Richard Canfield, may be had by anyone for the asking. The throne has been abdicated by Canfield—who never will seek to regain his crown. He is through with games of chance forever and is not going to Cuba or Mexico or anywhere else to open a gambling place, frequent newspaper reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

"I am not to obtain a gambling concession from President Gomez nor would I accept one from there or anywhere else, even as a gift," said Canfield a few days ago.

The limit of his operations now is to take a hand at bridge. He is content to spend his time with his family in Providence or in New York, where he may be seen almost any day at Delmonico's.

Whoever the Americans are that want a concession to run a "Monte Carlo" in Cuba, Canfield is not one of them. There is no question that he is really through with gambling. He is rich enough to have everything he wants and long ago tired of taking chances with the law and being constantly before the public as a lawbreaker.

There was a time when Canfield thought of embarking in his own peculiar business abroad, but he has no such thought now.

"After the raid on my place here in New York," said he, "I was offered a salary of $30,000 a year to manage a gambling casino in one of the most famous and exclusive resorts in Europe. I was sorely tempted to take it, as my business here seemed to be killed and the casino would have on its board of directors men whose names were prominent in finance and even in social circles."

"And why didn't you?" he was asked.

"Because a little 12-year-old girl asked me not to. She thought I already had reputation enough in that direction."

"Do you mind telling who the little girl was?"

"Certainly not; my daughter."

Aged Twins Pass Lives at Birthplace.

Samuel and William Murphy

(William on right.) Long Island twins who celebrated their birthday on Christmas. They have lived 93 years on the place where they were born and are still hale and hearty.

Remarkable.

AGED TWINS, HALE AND HEARTY, PASS NINETY-THIRD MILESTONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When Samuel and William Murphy, the oldest twins in the United States, celebrated their birthday on Christmas Day, they began the ninety-third lap of their long course amid the good wishes of their many relatives and friends.

The family is proud of the aged pair and the birthday celebration was fitting to such a rare occasion. Residents of Babylon, the Long Island town in which the twins were born and raised, and have done their work, feel that they, too, have cause for pride.

On the homestead where they were born these two men have passed their lives, working side by side day after day, living within a stone's throw of each other. They were made orphans when they were but eight years old, and both served apprenticeship to trades. As soon as they were able they added to the family holdings by purchase and divided the whole into two parts. One took the eastern half and the other the western, and there they have tilled the land ever since.

Not because they have to, but because they like to, they still take a turn at the work of the farm. Of William it is related that two years ago he cradled two acres of rye alone, and Samuel always plants his garden himself. They like to show the younger ones how men worked in times gone by, they say.

Trouble.

CLASH IN HAYTI IS VAGUELY REPORTED AT WASHINGTON.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—A clash between Haytien soldiers and Dominican customs guards which may have serious results is reported to the Bureau of Insular Affairs of the War Department from the American customs officers detailed in San Domingo to collect the revenue. The trouble broke out Saturday night at a point on the boundary between the two countries near Lake Enriquillo, in the southern part of the island.

The results of the collision were not known up to last night, but the Dominican officials attached enough importance to the report to call a cabinet meeting, and begin negotiations with the resident Haytien Minister to Santa Domingo.

The State Department was in receipt of vague advices regarding the clash between the Haytiens and the Dominicans. American Minister Russell said that, while news of the conflict had reached Santo Domingo, it was promptly denied, though the Haytien government is admitted to have sent out armed forces to compel the Dominicans to stop work on the road between Perdenales and Lake Fondo.

The Dominion government, which is building the road, insists it does not cross Haytien territory, and that even if it did the matter was one to be settled by diplomatic representations. The action of Hayti in sending an armed force against peaceful road builders is therefore regarded as a clearly hostile act.

This the Dominion authorities regard as sufficient to warrant them in taking prompt defensive measures.

The difficulty is not regarded here as serious, but it is not unlikely that one of the little gunboats on the Central American coast will be sent to San Domingo to observe developments.

HOPE FOR PEACE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN DOMINGO CITY, Dec. 27.—President Ramon Caceres of Santo Domingo, in an interview today, said his latest advices looked more favorable for the friendly settlement of the boundary dispute with Hayti. The President does not wish a conflict with the neighboring republic, but demands that his country's rights be respected.

The Haytien Minister here today said he had received authority from his government to accompany the Dominican commission, which will proceed to the Haytien frontier to settle the trouble there, if possible. He declared that his government desired a peaceful settlement, but believed arbitration would be necessary.

Trouble in Carolines.

GERMANY SENDS TROOPS AND SHIPS TO QUELL INSURRECTION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

TSING TAU (China) Dec. 27.—The German cruiser Emden, sailed today for Ponape, Caroline Islands, where it is reported an insurrection has occurred.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—The colonial office received a message today from the German Governor of the Caroline Islands reporting his arrival at Ponape, with 160 soldiers. He states the insurgents do not exceed 250, and the natives generally are loyal.

The cruiser Nuremburg was ordered today to proceed from Hongkong to Ponape. The cruiser Cormoran and the surveying ship Planet are already there, while the cruiser Emden is en route from Tsing Tau.

A dispatch from Brisbane, Australia, last night stated the natives in Ponape had been in revolt and murdered four Europeans and five friendly natives.

The Caroline Islands, together with the Western Carolines, were sold by Spain to Germany in 1899. They form a large archipelago, of some 680 small islands, in 41 groups in the Pacific. Latitude 5 to 10 north, Longitude 135 to 165 east.

The most important islands are Yap and Ponape. Copra is the chief export.

There are a number of trading stations on the islands, the area of which is 500 square miles. The population is about 40,000.

A series of native outbreaks that began in the winter of 1906 ceased in the following April, when the local authorities succeeded in restoring order with the assistance of the presence of the German gunboat Jaguar.

Disturbances at that time were due to a religious warfare, the Protestant natives being arrayed against the Catholics. Each camp possessed about 800 rifles.

Panic.

TWO ARE KILLED IN STREET-CAR CRASH ON KANSAS CITY VIADUCT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Dec. 27.—Two persons were killed and more than fifty hurt, four seriously, in a street car collision on the inter-city viaduct between here and Kansas City, Kan., tonight.

The dead:

Omer A. Duke, Kansas City, Kan.

John Harding (colored,) Kansas City, Kan.

Both cars belonged on the Minnesota avenue line and were headed west.

Car 177, when near the east end of the bridge, at point thirty feet above ground, lost its trolley. Car 163, in charge of Motorman George Green, came along before the trolley had been replaced. Green did not see car 177 until his car was within three feet of it and before he could apply the brakes, the moving car had crashed into the "dear" one.

The collision caused every light in the moving car to go out. A wild scene followed. Four persons fell off the viaduct into the sand below. Within the cars men and women fought to get out. Window panes were smashed, many being injured by broken glass.

Warning of the accident was first given by Charles Lewis, one of the men who fell off the viaduct. Although badly hurt, he hastened to a nearby railroad office to spread the alarm. After telling of the wreck, Lewis collapsed.

NURSE'S ARM BROKEN.

Stepping off a high sidewalk at First and Lucas streets, while on her way to a sick call yesterday evening, Miss L. E. Weymouth, 64 years of age, a trained nurse, living at No. 217 South Grand avenue, fell and broke her left upper arm—a serious fracture. Miss Weymouth was taken to the Receiving Hospital.

Railroad Record.

RATES REDUCED FROM THE EAST.

Important Concessions Made By Common Carriers.

Change Not All Hoped For, But Will Help Out.

New York-Los Angeles, $3.70 Per Cwt. New Basis.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At a recent conference of the carriers here a new set of class rates on transcontinental traffic was agreed on which will affect all shippers on the Pacific Coast. The basis is a rate of $3.70 per hundredweight for first-class freight from New York to Los Angeles.

Other rates as proposed are: Second-class, $3.20; third, $2.65; fourth, $2.25; fifth, $1.90; class A, $1.92; B, $1.52; C, $1.29; D, $1.15; E, $1.05.

From Chicago to Los Angeles and Pacific Coast points the rates proposed are: First-class, $2.40; second, $2.95; third, $2.45; fourth, $2.07; fifth, $1.75; class A, $1.77; B, $1.40; C, $1.10; D, $1.05; E, 95 cents.

It is intended to grade these rates back to all intermediate points on a somewhat equitable pro rata for distance, meeting the rates which the Interstate Commerce Commission put into effect from New York to Phoenix and Reno. This would make the first-class rate from New York to Phoenix and Reno $3.50, and the rates for other classes would be similarly scaled down until class E is reached with a rate of 93 cents. From Chicago to Reno and Phoenix, the first-class rate would be $2.90 and the rate for class E, 95 cents.

This is one of the most important pieces of railroad news given out for some time.

Shippers have been anxiously awaiting knowledge as to what the railroads intended to do with regard to new class rates. It is understood that this is not exactly what they have hoped for, but it is a concession and may be accepted.

CARS THROWN TOGETHER.

Splitting of Switch Causes Crash, Material Damage and Injury to One Passenger—Others Escape.

Splitting a switch at a crossing of Eleventh and Main streets yesterday evening derailed and threw car No. 431 of the Hooper avenue line into car No. 537 of the Main and Moneta line, damaging both cars considerably.

Mrs. E. J. Considine of the Hotel Rosslyn was the only person injured in the collision. She was on the Main-street car and was severely shaken up and also suffered several cuts from flying glass. Her injuries were not considered sufficiently serious to send her to a hospital, and she was taken to her rooms at the hotel.

The Hooper avenue car, which turns into Eleventh street at this crossing, was traveling at a fair rate of speed when it was derailed, but not so fast that it was not stopped easily by the motorman. The damage was done by the Main street car, across the path of which the other was thrown so unexpectedly.

The steps were torn off the cars, their fenders smashed, and every window broken. The escape of the crews and other passengers from any injury is considered remarkable by those who saw the accident.

DICE LAW SHAKING DOWN.

Police Commission Decides Public Should Have Chance to Vote on the Ordinance, But It Is Likely too Late.

The dice-shaking ordinance is to be given a "shaking down," if the Police Commission has its way. The commissioners last night decided to recommend that the public should be given a chance to vote on it at the election on charter amendments which will be held soon.

This ordinance has been a source of much comment since it was passed. The cigar dealers had to make a big fight to get it. They contend that it is not a pernicious form of gambling and that it is the life of their business.

If it is submitted to the people—but it is likely too late—the election will probably be accompanied by some vigorous campaigning by the hundreds of tobacco dealers in the city.

WOMAN LEPER DIES.

AIKEN (S. C.) Dec. 27.—After being in quarantine at her home for more than two years, Miss Mary Kirk, a leper, died today. Miss Kirk contracted leprosy in Brazil nineteen years ago while serving as a Presbyterian missionary. She had been treated by specialists of world-wide reputation but was pronounced incurable. The fact that she was a leper did not become known here until two years ago. When an attempt was made to remove her to the pest house, an injunction was secured and the case was bitterly fought in the courts for more than a year. She never left her own home.

Try This For Colds

Prescription Known for Results Rather Than Large Quantity.

Go to your druggist and get "Two ounces of Glycerine and half an ounce of Concentrated Pine compound. Mix these with half a pint of good whiskey. Shake well. Take one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bed time. Smaller doses to children according to age." Any one can prepare this at home. This is said to be the quickest cough and cold cure known to the medical profession. Be sure to get only the genuine (Globe) Concentrated Pine. Each half ounce bottle comes in a tin screw-top sealed case. If the druggist is out of stock he will quickly get it from his wholesale house. Don't fool with uncertain mixtures. It is risky.

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Color. Description.	Price	Drawers, Vests, Tights, Corset Covers, Sizes 3-6	Drawers, Vests, Tights, Corset Covers, Extra Sizes 40-44	Union Suits Sizes 3-6	Union Suits Extra Sizes 40-44
White, Light weight finest combed cotton	.50	....	.75	1.25	1.50
Cream, Medium weight finest combed cotton	.50	....	.75	1.25	1.50
White, Heavy weight fleeced combed cotton	.50	....	....	1.25	....
White and Silver, Heavy weight merino, 50 per cent. wool	.75	....	1.25	1.50	....
White, Medium weight merino, 50 per cent. wool	1.00	....	1.25	1.75	....
White, Winter weight merino, 75 per cent. wool	1.25	....	....	2.50	....
White, Light weight merino, 50 per cent. wool	1.00	....	....	....	....
White, Light weight silk and wool, 25 per ct. silk	1.25	....	....	....	....
White, Medium weight silk and wool, 25 per cent. silk	1.25	....	....	2.50	....
White and Silver, Heavy weight, all wool	1.75	....	....	....	....
White, Heavy weight, 50 per cent. wool, 30 per cent. silk	1.75	....	....	3.25	....

Children's

	Vests and Drawers 2-6	Vests and Drawers 7-12
White, Heavy weight fleeced cotton vests and drawers	.35	.50
White, Medium weight cotton, Union suits, all sizes	....	1.00
White, Winter weight merino, 60 per cent. wool	.50	.75
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LEWIS S. STONE and the Belasco Theater company present for the first time on any stage A. S. Steel's new play,

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Produced by special arrangement with Joseph Brooks. NEXT WEEK—Commencing special New Year's Matinee Monday, Rex Broadhurst's great play of the Hudson Bay country, "THE CALL OF THE NORTH." Seats selling.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—Surrounded by her seven children and their wives and husbands and almost a score of grandchildren, who had gathered for a Christmas reunion of the family, Mrs. John H. Martin died last night at her home here. Her happiness at meeting her children and seeing the family united without a vacant place, is said to have overcome her. Mrs. Martin was 68 years old, a pioneer of Sacramento, having come to this city when a girl. She is survived by her husband.

GOVERNOR HAS CLOSE CALL.

Nevada Executive Brings Santa Claus Costume Into Too Close Touch With Christmas Tree Candles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Had it not been for the prompt action of bystanders, the Governor of Nevada might have been one of the victims to the Christmas tree fire fiend. As it was, Gov. Dickerson, in the temporary role of Santa Claus, at Carson City, on Saturday night, was slightly burned.

The Governor was robed in the conventional Santa Claus suit with furs and robe, flowing whiskers and cotton batting "snow," and was distributing presents to his children and those of the neighbors. As he leaned over the tree to get a present, a small taper ignited the cotton on his cap and instantly there was a kindling of flames.

Those near by snatched off the burning cloth and extinguished the flames before much damage was done. The Governor is now waiting for his eyebrows and eyelashes to grow, and the children have some doubts as to the authenticity of Santa Claus.

"JACK" STAFFORD CONFIDENT.

Claims Enough Votes Promised to Make Him Once More Sergeant-at-Arms of State Legislature.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Jack" Stafford, veteran sergeant-at-arms of the Assembly, has weathered five regular and four special sessions and is sanguine that the first of the new year will find him safely back at the old stand.

So far, he has two known rivals. One is J. J. McCarthy, general manager to State Engineer Nat Ellery, who claims nineteen votes solid, with more to come. The other aspirant is Ed White, choice of the Lincoln-Roosevelters.

"I've got more than enough already to elect me," said Stafford today. "There will be sixty-nine Republicans meet in caucus to select a sergeant-at-arms. It takes but thirty-five votes to elect. Three weeks ago I had thirty-four votes promised me by letter or by word of mouth. Since then I have gained seven more. There is some opposition because it was felt that I had been recognized by the machine interests, so Ed White was named as the man for a clean sweep, but this fight will be a matter of personality."

Couldn't See It.

DIVORCING GROG AND GROCERIES.

TOPHAM SEEKS TO CUT OUT THE LIQUOR PRIVILEGE.

Police Commission Declines to Take the Proposition Seriously and It Falls By the Wayside—More Efforts are Made to Widen the Prohibition Blocks By Protests.

Commissioner Topham, at the meeting of the Police Commission last night, advanced a plan for the segregation of wholesale liquor establishments and grocery stores, but his proposition was sat down on by a majority of the commission.

"I move that no licenses be granted to persons conducting grocery stores," he said, just before adjournment. "Grog shops and grocery stores should not be run together." Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion.

"What are you going to do with the grocers who now have a license?" asked Commissioner Davidson.

"Give them six months to dispose of one business or the other," was Topham's reply.

"I'm against any such proposition," was Davidson's rejoinder.

"I'd vote against any such thing," declared Commissioner Wellborn. "I move we adjourn."

"Let's have a vote," demanded Topham.

"Your motion is out of order," smilingly commented the Mayor as he leaned forward to stifle a chuckle.

"Question," was the call from the Commissioners, who were evenly divided.

The Mayor voted "no" and Topham's pet scheme was blighted before it had a good start.

Several protests were entered against granting any more licenses in certain blocks. Enough property owners' signatures were on petitions relating to Main street from Fifth street to Seventh street to close it from any more liquor houses.

Persons residing at Fifth and San Julian streets requested the commission to reconsider a license granted two weeks ago for that point. The property owners contended that they had not received sufficient notice to enter a protest before the license was acted upon. The commission made an investigation and found that the required notices had been mailed.

"The only thing for you to do is to get the saloon-keeper to move," was the advice Topham gave the protestants.

Andrew Lennox, a former patrolman, who has a license at No. 1201 East Sixth street, asked the commission to permit him to take into partnership a man named Rozine.

Lennox said that when he got up his petition the property owners promised Rozine that he, too, should have their support in getting permission to run a saloon. They have had a change of heart since. In order that Rozine might not be left out, Lennox offered to sell him a half-interest in his business. Action on the application was delayed one week.

The application for a permit of the proprietor of the King George cafe, which is in the building on East Third street once known as the Manhattan, was up for action.

The commission shied at the old name and the memories which it brought to them. They declared that they would investigate and give him an answer later. The character of the place will be looked up by Commissioners Davidson and Johnson.

The retail license of R. L. Knowles & Co., in the Nadeau Hotel, was canceled at the holders' request and a hotel license at the same place was granted to Alden & Thompson.

Profitable.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA EDUCATORS EXCHANGE VIEWS IN CONVENTION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

BERKELEY, Dec. 27.—The annual convention of the California Teachers' Association, composed of educators from the central part of the State, began its sessions this morning at the University of California. Several thousand teachers were present.

The formal opening session was held this afternoon in Harmon gymnasium, the address of welcome being delivered by President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the State University.

Alfred Roncovieri, president of the association, and superintendent of the San Francisco schools, delivered his annual message. An address by Chester Rowell of Fresno, was part of the program.

Teachers' institutes were held today for the following counties: Alameda, Amador, Centra Costa, San Benito, and San Francisco. This school section met in the Berkeley High School auditorium this morning. Those taking part in the discussions were C. L. Biedenbach, of Berkeley; J. C. Templeton, of Palo Alto; A. E. Kellogg, of San Francisco; Dr. A. F. Lange, of the University of California; Frank Morton and George A. Merrill of San Francisco.

At California Hall, on the campus, this morning, papers on the general subject of high school work were read by A. F. Lange, E. P. Cubberly, of Stanford University; H. O. Williams, Sacramento High School; R. C. Bentley, Stanford; W. S. Thomas, University of California; E. L. McLane, superintendent of schools of Fresno; W. M. Kay, Chico High School.

The School Women's Club gave a banquet at the Hotel Shattuck this evening to the delegates. The convention is to close Friday.

And How Much Longer?

ANGELENOS MUST PAY SWITCHING CHARGES TILL MARCH AT LEAST.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec 27.—By an order of the Interstate Commerce Commission, announced today, the switching charges exacted by the railroads in Los Angeles and San Francisco aggregating many thousands of dollars annually, will continue in effect until March 1, 1911, at least.

About a year ago the Associated Jobbers of Los Angeles, and the Pacific Coast Jobbers and Manufacturers' Association of San Francisco filed complaints with the commission against the Santa Fe and the Southern Pacific, alleging that the switching charges of $2.50 a car assessed by the railroads on shippers for the placing of cars on sidings, or spur tracks, was unreasonable and discriminatory.

The commission, after a full hearing, ordered the discontinuance of the charge by July 1, 1910. Subsequently proceedings were instituted in the courts by the railroads to annul the order of the commission. Thereupon the commission, pending a decision of the courts, extended the effective date of its order to January 1, 1911. As the case has not been decided, the commission today granted a further extension of its order until March 1.

Meantime, switching charges are being exacted by the railroads. If the commission's order should be eventually sustained by the courts, the shippers will have cause for asking reparation in a large sum from the roads.

How to Cure Rheumatism

Prominent Doctor's Best Prescription. It is Easily Mixed.

This is a very simple and harmless formula but it has worked wonders for all who have tried it, quickly curing chronic and acute rheumatism and back-ache. "Get one ounce of syrup of Sarsaparilla compound and one ounce of Toris compound. Then get a half a pint of good whiskey and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a tablespoonful of this mixture before each meal and at bed time. Shake the bottle before using. Results are felt the first day. Any druggist has these ingredients on hand or will quickly get them from his wholesale house. Any one can mix them.

BANK CLOSING.

(Continued from First Page.)

posed of, and manipulated as Robin directed."

The summary of this alleged manipulation follows and the statement then continues:

"As a result when the present investigation began, the Title and Guarantee Company of Rochester, instead of assets consisting of approximately $180,000 and practically no liabilities, now owes $50,000 and has against it bonds and stocks in the Robin concerns whose value is approximately $105,000. This is a net shrinkage of about $125,000 to be reduced, of course, by the ultimate returns from the Robin securities.

SHRINKAGE IN ASSETS.

Fortunately, the Rochester company is not actively in these and the interests of policy holders are not affected.

"There is undoubtedly a considerable shrinkage in the assets of the Aetna Indemnity Company whose small surplus is unquestionably wiped out and whose capital is impaired.

"Whether this company will be rehabilitated or reinsured has not been determined."

Directors of the Aetna, in their statement issued tonight, explain that "as soon as knowledge of the manipulations by Mr. Robin came to their attention, they notified the insurance department of Connecticut, which co-operated with the New York department in making a full and detailed examination of the financial transactions of the affiliated companies."

The statement continues:

"Mr. Robin has been entirely eliminated from the stock control of the company and its officers are now in a position to transfer control to strong interests. The officers are therefore confident that, with the successful completion of the negotiations, the progress of the company will continue undisturbed."

HIGH JINKS BY CLUB.

Smoker and Entertainment Provide a Jolly Evening For Athletes. Vaudeville Bill by Club Talent.

One of the most successful entertainments promoted by the Los Angeles Athletic Club was the third annual high jinks and smoker given last night. Over 500 club members and their friends were entertained.

At the jinks, held in the gymnasium, a big vaudeville bill was given. Professional talent figured mainly in the programme, although there were a number of attractive acts given by club talent. Lou Guernsey was chief announcer.

Guernsey, S. S. Spier and J. Scheck engineered the affair.

A Reasonable Plea For The Stomach

If Your Stomach is Lacking in Digestive Power, Why Not Help the Stomach Do Its Work—Especially When It Costs Nothing to Try?

Not with drugs, but with a reinforcement of digestive agents, such as are naturally at work in the stomach? Scientific analysis shows that digestion requires pepsin, nitrogenous ferments, and the secretion of hydrochloric acid. When your food fails to digest, it is proof positive that some of these agents are lacking in your digestive apparatus.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain nothing but these natural elements necessary to digestion and when placed at work in the weak stomach and small intestines, supply what these organs need. They stimulate the gastric glands and gradually bring the digestive organs back to their normal condition.

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London, 9th Aug., 1905.

I have analyzed most carefully a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets (which I bought myself at a city chemist's shop for the purpose,) manufactured by the F. A. Sauart Co., 86 Clerkenwell Road, London, E. C., and have to report that I cannot find any trace of vegetable or mineral poisons. Knowing the ingredients of the tablets, I am of opinion that they are admirably adaptable for the purpose for which they are intended.

(Signed.)

John R. Brooke, F.I.C., F.C.S.

There is no secret in the preparation of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Their composition is commonly known among physicians, as is shown by the recommendations of 40,000 licensed physicians in the United States and Canada. They are the most popular of all remedies for indigestion, dyspepsia, water brash, insomnia, loss of appetite, melancholia, constipation, dysentry and kindred diseases originating from improper dissolution and assimilation of foods, because they are thoroughly reliable and harmless to man or child.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are at once a safe and a powerful remedy, one grain of these tablets being strong enough (by test) to digest 3000 grains of steak, eggs and other foods. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest your food for you when your stomach can't.

Ask your druggist for a fifty-cent package or send to us direct for a free trial sample package and you will be surprised at the result. F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Sauart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

Store Opens at 8:30 — ARTHUR LETTS Broadway Department Store — Store Closes at 5:30

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Pre-Inventory Sale

Hundreds and hundreds of Los Angeles people are taking advantage of this before-stock-taking event, because their shopping money will go so much further. Why, it's nothing unusual to see some lines of merchandise cut to the very quick, even a half or a quarter below, yes, and some lines even selling for less than that. Four more days in which to bring stocks to the lowest possible margin. Not a sale in name only, but an earnest, important effort to crowd out as much merchandise as possible before the inventory sheets are listed. Read every item in this ad carefully. They are important.

Kodak Albums Rear Aisle 2 — 1/2

Our determination to reduce our stock of Kodak albums is so intense that we have cut prices in two, all kinds, all sizes imaginable. Start to saving your Kodak pictures. Here's your opportunity to select a pretty album at half the low marked prices. Rear aisle 2.

Toilet Sets and Sewing Sets — 1/2

These lines are just the remainder of our enormous Holiday showing of toilet sets, sewing sets, tie racks and rings, manicure sets, glove and handkerchief boxes also Kraftwood novelties. If you received money for Christmas profit by this half price sale today and Thursday, aisle 5.

Perfumes In Our Pre-Inventory Sale — 1/2

We do not want to enter this limited quantity of pretty holiday perfumes on our Inventory books. And surely we will not have the opportunity, for at half price this lot will be quickly exhausted. There are such values as

10c Perfume .....5c 25c Perfume 13c
50c Perfume 25c, etc., etc.
Front Aisle 6.

Odds and Ends of Stationery at — 1/2

Before Christmas this line of box paper was considered one of the lowest priced stocks in the city and now for today and Thursday we are offering every kind at half price. There are such values as 10c boxes for 5c, 15c boxes 8c, 50c boxes 25c and $1.00 boxes 50c.

Aisle 5.

Pre-Inventory Sale Domestics, Etc.

Remember, that this department is located in the Third Floor Annex. Radical prices on the most staple lines;

15x36 PILLOWCASES 12½c—Made of good firm bleached muslin. Pre-Inventory price Wednesday 12½c.

72x90 SHEETS 45c—Full size, made of good quality sheeting, 2 yards wide by 3½ yards long, including hem; center seam.

EMB. FLANNEL 50c Silk embroidered white flannel for petticoats. A Pre-Inventory price, yard 50c.

COMFORT BATS 89c—Just enough in these for a Comforter, size 72x84. Third Floor, each 69c.

RED FLANNEL 10c—Half wool. Just a few pieces. Not a heavy weight, but a ridiculous price—yard 10c.

WHITE FLANNEL 12½c—Half wool. One full case. Marked 25c, and a leader at that. Sale price, yard 12½c.

WHITE FLANNEL 12½c—Half wool. Just a small quantity—five pieces—termed seconds; edges damaged. No phone or small orders. Yard 12½c.

OUTING FLANNEL 5c—Light grounds, pink and blue stripes. Not more than 15 yards to a customer. 3d floor.

CANTON FLANNEL 7½c—Bleached, good fleece. Specially priced for a Pre-Inventory sale Wednesday, 7½c.

DOMET FLANNEL 5c—Fleeced on both sides. Third Floor, yard 5c.

Rugs, Curtains and Bedding—Many Half

In these third floor departments the housewives have wonderful opportunities to buy rugs, curtains and bedding away under their real value.

Rugs from 1/2 to 1/3 off

In this sale you'll find Rugs of all sizes and qualities, including Wilton Rugs, Smyrna Rugs and Bath Mats.

Curtains, Draperies, Half

It is impossible to mention the broad variety of curtains offered at half the marked prices. These are Irish Point, Nottingham and Cable Curtains. Pay just half. Third Floor.

$1.25 Muslin Gowns 75c

Extra long and full muslin gowns with round or high shaped neck. Embroidery trimmed. The excellent material and the splendid way in which they are made make these $1.25 gowns remarkable bargains at 75c.

98c Muslin Drawers 50c

Strong well made drawers with deep ruffle embroidery trimmed. Cut extra full and wide. Regular price 98c. Pre-Inventory sale price 50c.

Fredericks

Stupendous Stock Reduction of all Rugs, Carpets and Linoleums

The reductions on all high grade and medium-priced floor coverings this week are such that every prospective purchaser is really missing a wonderful opportunity if they fail to take advantage of the many, many unusual offerings. Lines too numerous to mention have been cut for a big pre-inventory clearance. You'll find cut prices on ROYAL WILTON RUGS, FRENCH WILTON RUGS, BODY BRUSSELS RUGS, ALAMO ART RUGS, GERMAN ART RUGS, SCOTCH RUGS, AMERICAN ORIENTAL HALL RUNNERS, AND ALL YARD CARPETS. See them now—if you've a need you'll supply it, we will wager.

Liberal Credit

It is not necessary for you to pay all cash here. A payment down to show your good faith and the rest at your convenience. That, we think, is really the most liberal credit offering ever made in this city by a high-class, dependable furniture store. It will pay you to investigate our charge account and credit system.

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Washington.

MR. TAFT WILL BE IN RUNNING.

Definitely Decides to Enter Race for Presidency.

Looks Ahead to Campaign of Republican Victory.

Many Causes Coming Up Lend Strength to Party.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Persons who have thought it possible that President Taft in his own good time would issue announcement of a dearth of desire to succeed himself in the Presidency now can dismiss the thought, knowing that they never will be compelled to resummon it.

It is definitely known that the President is willing to enter the field once more and that he looks ahead to the campaign with no fear of defeat.

It was said recently, with a certain assurance springing from then present indications, that the Republican party's sole foundation for hope in the next campaign would be tariff commission legislation at this session. Now it can be said that several causes will be added before the present session of Congress ends.

The tariff commission legislation, with the possibilities which it holds of trouble for the Democrats, if in the face of its passage they attempt next winter to enact a tariff for revenue only, has considerable strength in itself, but it is probable that by comparison with certain things which the present leaders of Mr. Taft's party in Congress have just agreed to do, the bill will lose some of its shining importance. It is probable also that when the Canadian reciprocity treaty is ratified—as it probably will be before the present session adjourns—in it will be found provisions of worth to the consumers of the country—provisions which, politically speaking, will make good campaign material for a party which seeks to perpetuate its power.

The Canadian treaty, taken with certain legislative measures which it is planned to make into law at the present session, it is expected will serve to brighten Republican prospects of success—prospects which admittedly were blackened when the sun went down on the last election day.

CORPORATION TAX CASE UP.

Former Senator Foraker Files Brief in Supreme Court Affecting Bill's Legality.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The legal contest over the constitutionality of the corporation tax was renewed today in the Supreme Court of the United States, when former Senator Foraker of Ohio, filed a brief attacking the law. He is expected to make an oral argument when the case comes before the court for rehearing in January.

The brief submitted today closely follows one prepared by him when the case was first presented. It is argued the tax is laid neither upon the corporation itself and its franchise, nor on its business, but on the entire net income. The Senator designates it as a "corporation income tax" and holds it is unconstitutional for the same reasons that the income tax was declared unconstitutional in 1895.

The feature of the tax which provides for publicity of the returns on which the tax is ascertained, is attacked, despite the amendment last summer after the corporation tax cases had been argued the first time. This amendment provided that the returns should be made public only under rules and regulations prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, and approved by the President. These rules and regulations, finally promulgated, provided for restrictions on publicity in certain respects, but left open for inspection the returns of corporations whose stock was listed upon a stock exchange of advertised in the press, or offered for sale to the public by the corporation.

Senator Foraker urges that this leaves the private affairs of these corporations open to inspection of a competitor or an enemy in business, much to the detriment of such corporations.

RAILROAD WINS POINT.

RAISED RATE UPHELD.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—A rate of $2 a ton on bituminous coal from East St. Louis, Ill., to Omaha and South Omaha, Neb., was declared today by the Interstate Commerce Commission to be reasonable. The Breeze-Trenton Mining Company and other coal miners in Illinois complained of the rate, urging that $1.80 a ton was reasonable because that was the old rate. The commission not only held that the $2 rate was reasonable, but also that while a carrier for competitive reasons might establish a lower rate than could justly be required by the commission, it could not be bound under different conditions to maintain such a rate.

LO LOSES BOOZE.

MUCH TISWIN SEIZED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—About 8000 gallons of tiswin, or tulapai, an intoxicating drink manufactured by the Apache Indians, have been confiscated by the Indian office agents at Fort Apache, Ariz. The liquid is exclusively an Apache beverage, and is very intoxicating. It is weight producing. Indians addicted to its use becoming very fat. The liquor has the appearance of milky water, and has a bad odor.

CHANGES IN RESERVES.

PRESIDENT SIGNS ORDERS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Proclamations ordering additions and eliminations in national forests in California, Idaho and Utah were today signed by President Taft. The changes follow: Modoc forest, California, 70,967 acres eliminated; 182,050 acres added: Boise forest, Idaho, 9940 acres eliminated and Sevier forest, Utah, 93,720 acres eliminated; 2560 acres added.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A rather balmy south wind today brought the mercury down several notches. In fact, it was nearer spring than winter weather. The maximum temperature was 43 and the minimum 29 deg. Middle West temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	38	18
Bismarck	20	10
Cairo	54	32
Cheyenne	40	20
Cincinnati	38	20
Cleveland	38	24
Concordia	49	24
Davenport	42	28
Denver	36	16
Des Moines	42	25
Detroit	36	18
Devil's Lake	14	12
Dodge	48	20
Dubuque	33	26
Duluth	28	18
Escanaba	30	18
Grand Rapids	38	22
Green Bay	30	16
Helena	34	18
Huron	30	18
Indianapolis	36	16
Kansas City	40	22
Marquette	34	22
Memphis	64	46
Milwaukee	38	24
Omaha	40	30
St. Louis	48	32
St. Paul	28	18
Sault Ste. Marie	34	22
Springfield, Ill.	40	26
Springfield, Mo.	50	40
Wichita	50	32

MISFITS CORRECTED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—This was "Exchange Day" at the big department stores—the day on which Christmas presents that were not appropriate were exchanged for articles more suitable. "About 10 per cent. of Christmas presents are brought back for exchange," said a State-street merchant last night.

HISTORICAL MEETING.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 27.—With what is believed the largest attendance in the history of the organization, the American Historical Association, with its allied societies, opened its twenty-sixth annual meeting here today.

CHILDREN BURN TO DEATH.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

COLUMBUS (O.) Dec. 27.—Myrtle Meets, aged 4 years, and Margaret Meets, aged 2, were found burned to death today when their mother returned to her home from a trip to a grocery on the west side. She left the children playing with their Christmas presents. Their clothing is believed to have ignited from a gas grate.

SUES MILLIONAIRE'S ESTATE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

HAMILTON (O.) Dec. 27.—Jennie Smithson Hooven, niece of the late Alexander Gordon, the multi-millionaire who recently died in London, filed suit today against the administrator of the Gordon estate for $250,000, claiming that Gordon had agreed to remember her in his will with a large sum, as she had maintained a home for him in Hamilton during his lifetime.

AUTOIST SENTENCED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

FORT WAYNE (Ind.) Dec. 27.—Mrs. Rose Seidel Tresselte, wife of a well-known business man, pleaded guilty today of manslaughter for having run down with her automobile, and killed Irene Cox, aged 8 years, on August 20, last. Mrs. Tresselte was sentenced to from two to twenty-one years in prison, but the sentence was suspended. She paid John A. Cox, father of the little girl, $5300. Mrs. Tresselte is wealthy in her own right.

LOCAL OPTION KILLED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CARTHAGE (Mo.) Dec. 27.—Local option in Carthage was declared illegal today by Judge H. L. Bright, of the circuit court, who ruled that there were irregularities in the ballot at the election at which local options was adopted. The court ruled that the election was irregular in that the ordinance calling for the election specified that the voting should be done at regular polling places and the evidence showed there were no regular polling places.

MATRIMONIAL TANGLE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—The divorce decree granted to James L. Powell on November 1, and set aside three days later, following the marriage of Mrs. May Louise Powell to C. Frederick Ekfelt, was finally annuled today when Circuit Judge Muench dismissed the reopened divorce suit. The court's action leaves the woman with two husbands. Judge Muench declared his decision to be due to evidence of collusion of the Powells. He offered no suggestion as to Mrs. Powell's means of extricating herself from her matrimonial tangle. Powell and Ekfelt are prominent in business.

BALL PLAYERS IN TROUBLE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

FRANKFORT (Ky.) Dec. 27.—Stephen Theophanis, a Greek restaurant keeper, was shot and probably fatally wounded here today, and Grover Land, catcher of the Cleveland American League baseball team, and Patrick Bohannon, formerly with the Louisville American Association are among the men who have been arrested. Several men who had carried over their Christmas celebration until 5 o'clock this morning are alleged to have thrown firecrackers into the restaurant. The shooting was a result of the row that followed.

"RED HUMMER" WRECKED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—A train known as the "Red Hummer," on the Chicago & Alton, which left Chicago last night for Kansas City, ran into a freight train near Farber, Mo., early today. Three trainmen were killed. The passenger train struck the caboose of the freight which had failed to clear the track in going into a sliding.

SCARED BY X-RAYS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27.—In awful terror Louis Komar, a foreigner accused of an attempt to slay his wife last Saturday pleaded with the physicians at the Glenville hospital last night not to take his life. Komar who after wounding his wife had shot and stabbed himself, thought that an X-ray machine was for the purpose of electrocuting him. His wife is still living, but he thinks she is dead. He will recover, but his wife is expected to die.

Settled.

APPORTIONMENT TO BE CHANGED.

INCREASE OF THIRTY-SEVEN IN NEXT CONGRESS.

Plan Practically Agreed Upon Will Give One Representative to Every 211,700 of Population and Save Any State From Losing Any Congressmen.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The coming Congressional reapportionment will provide a total membership of 435 in the House of Representatives, according to present indications. This would mean one member to every 211,700 of population.

Chairman Crumpacker of the House Committee on Census and his associates, have been digesting the statistical calculations of the census bureau to show the effect on various systems of apportionment on the representation of thee different States. Of the sixteen members of the committee, eleven are from States which would lose one or more representatives, if the present number of the House is maintained.

It is likely these States will be protected, as Mr. Crumpacker and others believe that an increase to 435 will solve the problem before the House, that being the least number that will save every State from any loss in its delegation.

Clear the Tracks!

NAT GOODWIN ON WAR PATH.

SOMEBODY'LL GET HIS WHEN ACTOR FINDS HIM.

Neither Will It Be Pulled Off All According to Hoyle or Marquis of Queensberry—Someone Told Tales That Weren't True But Started Divorce Troubles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. — [Exclusive Dispatch.] If Nat Goodwin comes across a certain young man—whom he describes as "an actor, in a way"—within the next few days there's going to be trouble.

The comedian, tired and out of humor after a Christmas celebration with his folks—that is all his folks except his wife—in Boston, and with a long tour in vaudeville ahead of him, arrived in New York today and intimated that what he proposed doing to this young man will not all be according to Marquis of Queensberry rules, for it is because of this person's tale-bearing, he says, that the fourth Mrs. Goodwin, the beautiful Edna Goodrich, has had papers in an action for divorce served on her husband.

He has not made an answer to the complaint yet and is hoping with all his might for a reconciliation.

"This trouble is all due to a man who was in my employ for fifteen years," he said. "If I can catch him I think I'd break his neck. He's been going about repeating all kinds of stuff on me and he's got Mrs. Goodwin and her mother all worked up. No, I won't tell you his name, but I think you'll hear it if I find him.

"It's all bosh, that story of Mrs. Goodwin coming on to spend Thanksgiving with me in Toronto and suddenly entering my room in the hotel and finding me in a compromising position. She did come to Toronto, and we had our Thanksgiving dinner together, but there was no scene like that. No, sir; it is impossible that there could be a co-respondent in this case. That story about a well-known actress being named is just another fabrication of that young man I told you about."

TO TREAT CHINESE BETTER.

Threatened Boycott Working Up in Orient Because of Manner of Handling Visitors at Angel Island.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON (D. C. Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Congressman Duncan McKinlay had a conference today with Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel regarding protests entered by the Chinese against the manner in which immigrants and travelers of the better class of China are handled in San Francisco.

The Congressman told Secretary Nagle that feeling was so strong in China on this subject that another boycott against United States goods was being worked up in the Chinese empire. The matter was gone over thoroughly and Secretary Nagle said that he hoped Congress would give his department another assistant secretary, and that he would make every effort, in any event, to expedite and better the handling of Chinese at Angel Island.

ROADS MUST FURNISH CARS.

Decision of Importance in Oregon Court Awards Shipper Damages for Lack of Transportation.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SALEM (Or.) Dec. 27.—The Supreme Court handed down today a decision of considerable importance to shippers in this State and on the Pacific Coast generally. It involves the obligation of railroads in this State to furnish cars to shippers. The Supreme Court holds that the Oregon railroad laws compel the railroads to furnish cars on demand.

The lower court of Umatilla county gave judgment in $2258.25 to F. V. Martin, a fruit shipper, against the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company. The action was brought by Martin because of the company's failure to furnish refrigerator cars to ship apples, his case being based on a section of the State law which provides that all transportation companies are compelled to furnish suitable shipping facilities for perishable goods.

The Supreme Court holds that the law covers the case correctly and the right of the State of Oregon to exercise police power over railroads cannot be questioned in spite of argument presented by the defendant to the effect that the interstate shipping laws of this State are in conflict with the laws of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

PENITENTIARY FOR FORGER.

State of Montana Chief Loser By Acts of Clerk in Office of Livestock Commissioners.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HELENA (Mont.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] S. A. Langhorn, Jr., former chief clerk in the office of the State Board of Livestock Commissioners, today entered a plea of guilty to a forgery charge and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. It now develops that the State will be the chief loser, as Langhorn invented fictitious names for owners of stray cattle shipments, and forging these names secured money which would otherwise have gone into the State treasury.

Other sensational developments in connection with the wholesale forgery are expected.

KIDNAPERS "GET THEIRS."

Long Sentence Imposed Upon Two Women by Brooklyn Jurist After an Unmerciful Scoring.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A blow to the kidnaping bands that have been working in this and other cities was administered by Judge Fawcett in the County Court in Brooklyn today.

After unmercifully scoring Maria Rappa and Stanliao Pattenz as a menace to the community and deserving the death penalty, the court gave them the maximum sentence for kidnaping—an indeterminate term of from twenty-five to forty-nine years in Sing Sing.

The women were convicted recently of having abducted and held Giuseppe Longo, 8 years of age, and Michael Rizzo, 7 years old, children of well-to-do Brooklyn families. The Longo boy was kidnaped November 19 last, and a few days later the Rizzo child disappeared. The Longo family soon received a letter demanding $15,000 for the return of the boy.

CHICAGO BUSY PORT.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Lake commerce through the Chicago port showed an increase the last year over the year previous, according to the report of Collector of Customs John C. Ames, just issued. During the year 5061 vessels of 4,701,422 gross tonnage, entered the Chicago River, and 1694 with a gross tonnage of 3,781,153 entered the Calumet, making a total of 6755 vessels with a total tonnage of 8,482,575. For the same period the clearances show a total of 6118 vessels, with a gross tonnage of 8,386,635. In 1909 the tonnage was nearly a million tons less, both in entrance and clearances.

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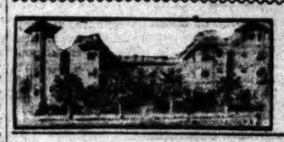

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H. Stone and his associates of asco company yesterday start- rehearsals of George Broadhurst's "The Call of the North," the performance of which will be next Monday afternoon. The is a dramatization of Stewart White's novel, "The Cash- Boaz," and was used for star- purposes by Robert Edeson with success. Mr. Stone will have the of Red Trent, the part created by

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...agement of the Grand ... has just succeeded in ... the use of Ferris Hart-... his company Jefferson De ... success, "Fantana." Mr. De ... one of the most sub-... of his career in this piece ... with Adele Ritchie ap-... play for a full season at the Garrick Theater in Chicago. "Fantana" was never brought West and will be given at the Grand for the first time in Los Angeles with Ferris Hartman in De Angelis's original role of Hawkins, the valet.

When Edwin Peple undertook to tell in a vaudeville sketch of twenty minutes the story of how the Venus de Milo lost her arms, he set himself a large task. For this mystery of the ages has never really been solved, and even to present a plausible story of how it might have happened requires a deal of ingenuity to make the tale sound reasonable. That Mr. Peple succeeded, and made a vehicle pleasing to those who love high-sounding speeches, attests his skill as playright. Mr. Farnum appeared in this sketch at the Orpheum Monday for the first time, and gave Los Angeles a view of the man who created the title role in "Ben Hur." He is still romantically garbed in the short toga and tights of the ancient Grecian period; he still declaims in the fashion men supposedly talked then, and he still shows now and then a bit of affectation or stilted stage demeanor, but at the same time, he presents as interesting, holding and strong a bit of dramaturgy as is often shown in vaudeville. The story in itself concerns a sculptor who loves a king's daughter, and who is rivaled by another sculptor. The first one creates a wonderful statue of a woman holding her babe, and the rival in insane jealousy, smashes it with a hammer. But its true artistic beauty is thus revealed, and the supposedly ruined work takes on new loveliness in its mutilated condition, to the eternal joy of its creator, who of course wins the king's child for his own.

Excellent acrobats are shown in the Duffin-Redcay troupe, who do double single and triple somersaults straight and twisted, with ease and grace, and loop the loop in daring fashion. They aviate through the circumambient atmosphere as if they were birdmen, and never miss a trick. For finished work of this sort, they take the palm.

Radiant Radie Furman lived up to the adjective. She is a dainty slip of a singing comedienne, and she has good songs, which she knows how to get over, and that is half the battle. She has some changes of clothes, especially one into uniform, which is stunning. The Sisters Meredith, who have been to Europe so long they have almost been forgotten at home, are back also with songs and costume changes, but the two do not conflict, and both are excellent. From last week remain the Six Cittys in their musical melange, the Callahan and St. George skit of Erin-go-Bragh nature. Andree's Porcelain studies and the Temple Quartette. The moving pictures show the New York police on parade and in action, and our own "finest" could get valuable pointers from the display, especially in handling congested traffic.

The Orpheum management has invited Mayor Alexander and his Police Commission to be its guests and view the film pictures of the New York police force now on there. The traffic squad has also been invited. The pictures show how traffic is controlled in New York, with admirable success, and how in the suburbs dogs are employed to trace down criminals.

The Orpheum was sold out Saturday for New Year's Eve. This breaks its own record for heavy advance sales.

The present offering at the Los Angeles Theater, full of life, music and merriment, might perhaps have been the second Sullivan and Considine road show, rather than last week's attractions, for while that was an excellent bill, the present list of attractions is throughout much better diversified and certainly much more entertaining.

The feature of the new bill is a one-act musical comedy "Polly Pickles' Pets in Petland," a fantastic creation. While the singing and dancing of the chorus in bright costumes is entertaining, the enjoyable and novel feature of this act is the exceptionally clever antics of an elephant, dog, parrot, cat and teddy bear, portrayed by four men who are all nimble contortionists. The stage setting for this act is elaborate and the electrical effects for "The Jack-o'-Lantern Man," which finished the turn, are a distinct surprise.

"Lind," presenting his female impersonations, is perhaps the next thing to Julian Eltinge. "Lind's" dances are exceptionally spirited and graceful, and he succeeds in completely fooling his audience until at the finish, and when everybody is saying "Isn't she beautiful," Lind slouches to the footlights, tears off his wig and discloses himself. The costumes displayed in this act are gorgeous and the draperies used in setting the stage are brilliant and real "Lind," is, at least, the cleverest impersonator here since Julian Eltinge.

Pistel and Cushing are the fun hit of this week's bill. They take one back to the good old days when McIntyre and Heath made the country laugh with their highly humorous "grave yard" act, which was a big feature of the Georgia Minstrels. Lew Pistel, the real blackman of the two, who would assail a plate of pork and beans with a pick and shovel is funny without speaking a word and when he talks simply increases the volume of laughter. The finish of this act measures up to all of the advance specifications.

De Witt Young, the College Boy Juggler has a novel offering which is far away from the usual stereoyped act of this character. Young is skillful and his act moves along in a manner that leaves not one dull moment. This act also reveals a picturesque stage setting. Tom McGuire, in his bright Scotch costumes, board smile and genial personality, wins his audience. Flo Adler, assisted by two youngers, each planted in a box, wins much applause in a repertoire of popular songs.

Schepp's dogs, ponies and monkeys seemed to be the magnet that attracted Los Angeles juveniles in large numbers to Pantages theater Monday. Five performances were given and the capacity of the house was tested at each exhibition. The dogs are beautiful Eskimo much beribboned and spotlessly white. They do such astonishing tricks as turning somersaults, walking on their hind and forward legs; ride ponies etc. The monkeys are like all monkeys, born comedians and kept the little ones in guffaws of laughter with their comcial antics; the ponies are shrewd and demure little Shetlands, who marched and counter-marched and talked with their heads and feet.

Another act that pleased the little folks was that of the comedy acrobats, Morgan Bros., who seemingly took all sorts of chances with life and limb in their funny athletics. J. Aldrich Libby and Miss Katherine Trayer delighted with their excellent voices and their bright dialogue in the farce, "The Manager, Buffalo Bill and the Prima Donna." Edwin T. Emery's tabloid presentation of "Le Tragede d'Egypte," introduces a graceful young woman dancer in Mlle. Merceeau, who tells a weird little story in her dances. The music, lights and costumes and the scenery aided in the production.

Woods & Green sang parodies as if they had an unlimited supply, and the audience demanded more. The Hawaiian Four are three young fellows and a dainty dusky maid whose grace, style and winsomeness gained applause and approval. The young fellows dress in native costumes and are accomplished musicians and singers. First run motion pictures close the holiday bill.

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YOUNG MAN HURT.

Monrovia Motorcycle Rider Runs Into Team and Receives Severe Injury Over the Heart.

MONROVIA, Dec. 27.—In a head-on collision about 8 o'clock last night, with the team of Robert Piercy, George Embree was hurled from his motorcycle and seriously injured. Dr. Reed of El Monte, who attended the young man states that the buggy shaft struck Embree just over the heart, breaking a rib and tearing through the heart wall. Death would have resulted instantly if the shaft had not been deflected slightly by impact with the rib.

Embree had just turned from the driveway of his father's ranch, two miles south of Monrovia, to the highway when the accident occurred. His motor lamp had not begun to burn brightly and neither he nor Piercy saw the other until collision was unavoidable.

The young man is an alumnus of the Monrovia High School and also of Throop Polytechnic. For several years he has been prominent in Southern California athletics. His chances for recovery are due largely to his fine physical condition and recuperative powers.

PAYING TAXES.

Today, marking the conclusion of the period of grace, when reluctant property owners may pay their taxes before penalizing for delay begins, the collectors office has been rushed to the limit. About $12,000 of the $40,000 municipal taxes has been paid in since morning. Collector J. F. Miller estimates that about 5 per cent will be delinquent.

The home of James Causey at the corner of Palm and Ivy avenues was gutted by fire last night. The loss is $3000, which is partly covered by insurance. The fire was of accidental origin starting in a closet. The night police force turned in the alarm at 1:45 a.m. and the city's new fire engine auto was connected up within two minutes, making a record run for the fire.

LIGHT SOUGHT ON PASSES

Interstate Commerce Commission Postpones Recent Order Pending Additional Information.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An important ruling relative to the issuance of passes by railroads has been made by the Interstate Commerce Commission, in which that body announces a postponement of the enforcement of the order prepared some time ago bearing upon the handling, recording and issuing of passes.

It is expected that after further consideration of the subject, a uniform plan relative to the issuance of passes will be agreed upon and made effective January 1, 1912. It is hoped that in evolving this scheme an arrangement will be made for affording aid to the inspectors of the commission in their task of making periodical examinations of railroad pass lists.

The commission has submitted to the railroads a list of forty-seven questions bearing on the pass question. Among these questions are the following:

How many passes have been issued and what is the form of each one?

Who are the officers responsible for the issuance of these passes?

What methods are followed in making requests for passes?

What reports are made by conductors relative to passes used?

What precautions are taken to prevent passes fom being used in connection with interstate transportation?

AVALON.

AVALON, Dec. 27.—Over one hundred American Boy Scouts arrived here today and will spend three days in camp. Plans have been made for a series of events and athletics. Every comfort has been arranged for by those in charge of the camp. A number of tents have been erected. After lunch today the boys spent an hilarious time along the waterfront. Each boy was equipped with his own outfit and when marching from the steamer wharf to the camp grounds the line was quite military in appearance.

J. F. Willits of Los Angeles today landed an albicore weighing thirty-two pounds while fishing off Seal Rocks.

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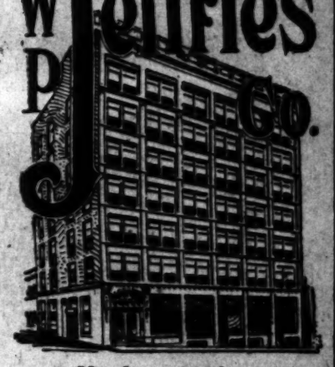

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RACE THRILLS THE FAITHFUL.

Aviation Field Crowds See Ely Beat Parmalee.

Barney Oldfield of the Air May Arise Soon.

Exciting Features of Race Through Space.

The trial was blazed for some future Barney Oldfield of the air yesterday at Aviation Field, when a racing aeroplane from the Curtiss hangars defeated the famous Baby Wright in a thrilling speed contest.

It was probably the first genuine flying machine race and showed the sporting possibilities of aeroplanes.

A flying machine race is more spectacular by twenty times than a horse race and has a yacht regatta backed off into the sporting scrap bag.

It is easy to foretell that the great cup regattas of the future will not be on the water between yachts that are out of sight most of the time; but between air ships that can be seen by the public.

It will be a very short time until the sporting youth are pledging their sesterii on the Cup Regatta between the champion of America and the speed birds of other lands.

The first race made such a sensational hit yesterday that a big derby has been arranged for today. Five racing aeroplanes will take part—two Curtiss machines, two from the Wright hangars, and the Belriot driven by Radley, who holds the world's record for speed.

The aviators who drove in the race yesterday were Ely and Parmalee. Their contest rose from an impromptu conference between Curtiss and the manager for the Wrights. During this meet there have been several accidental speed brushes between the Curtiss and Wright flying machines. It was decided to have a "show-down" on the spot.

Racing rules were hurriedly arranged and the aeroplanes were brought out.

It was arranged that they should start together from a mark, fly the length of the grand stand; turn and "lockey" for the start across the line like racing yachts.

TOE THE SCRATCH.

The fastest Curtiss machine was brought out by the eager mechanicians and toed up to the scratch, nearest the grand stand. A moment afterward the Baby Wright was wheeled in along side.

As they were starting the engines, the managers of the Curtiss and Wright hangars came in close to the last work of wire and canvas and gave their final instructions to the aviators. It made one think of a horse race, for the mechanics were stinging frantically to the racing machines, holding them down until the engines could get well into action, just as the stable boys hold down fractious race horses at the starting tape.

Curtiss stepped back and gave a quick signal; the mechanics dropped to their hands and knees and the racing machine ran forward a few feet, then lifted gracefully into the air. The Baby Wright took flight almost simultaneously.

They flew down past the grand stand close together it seemed as though collision must occur. Then the Baby Wright swept out to the mid-field in a long circle and the Curtiss machine turned to the left and came back over the grand stand.

They were very close together down the stretch, the Curtiss almost above the Baby Wright. The start was perfect.

"Go," yelled the announcer through a megaphone. And they went with a roar of propellers and a rush of speed. The Baby Wright must have had the edge on this occasion. The Curtiss sailed away from it with ease, turned the first pylon in the lead, and gained steadily for the five laps, coming down the stretch an easy winner.

In the derby today, it is announced that smaller wings are to be attached to the Baby Wright.

The two Curtiss machines and the two Wrights will start on the scratch today, but the Bleriot will be handicapped on account of its known superiority as a speeder.

Radley had the Bleriot out yesterday for a cross-country run. He started for Redondo Beach, but changed his mind when he got to the foothills that fringe the coast and turned back.

LADIES' DAY FRIDAY.

Friday will be Ladies' Day at Aviation Park. From 12 until 2 o'clock, when will be received at the hangars of the aviators.

Read Market Basket Saturday.

Buy shopping for the housewife when read the market basket in The Times Saturday.

HOXSEY'S MOTHER.

(Continued from First Page.)

that business, I moved to Pasadena where we now live.

BEGAN WITH AUTOS.

"He got his first job as a helper in an automobile factory in Los Angeles and finally came to Pasadena where he worked as a chauffeur. I was much more worried about him when he was running an auto than now that he is flying.

"While in Pasadena he became a chauffeur for Charles W. Gates, who took him all over Europe and the United States and showed him the world.

"Arch had always been interested in balloons. When he was a child they tell a story that he attempted a flight in a balloon of his own making. The basket was too heavy, and he tried to go up hanging onto the ropes.

"However that may be, Arch saw his first real airship at the Los Angeles aviation meet at Domingues a year ago. He was wild over aviation. Through Roy Knabenshue he found a chance to work in the Wright Brothers' shops.

"I had all my struggle at that time. I couldn't sleep the night that he asked me if he could go East and become an aviator. No one knows what I went through that night. The next morning I told him:

"'Arch, you know how I would naturally feel about this. Bpt I want you to do as you think best. I shall never place a straw in your path. If you think your future is in this direction, go ahead.' And he went.

"When he first went to the Wrights and was taking his first flights. I was terribly worried and frightened; but I guess I wore the fright out. I have never been uneasy since—not even when I read how, at Baltimore, his engine broke in mid-air and he had to glide down.

"It was a curious sensation to see him up in air on Saturday. The only time I felt in the least uneasy was when he came diving down. I feel that he is as safe in the air as on a sidewalk until the appointed time comes for him to go.

"I am very anxious to go up in the machine with him. That is the only thing I have to ask him. I am going to hold him to his promise.

"What do I think of his fame? I think it is very hard for his mother to be stared at."

Hoxsey, like his mother, seemed rather alarmed at the sudden fame which was waiting for him yesterday.

Every time he came out on the field the band played. Boys went through the grand stand peddling his photographs, and some enterprising toy peddler named a miniature aeroplane after him.

IN IT TO STAY.

It is the general belief that the aviators performing at Dominguez Field are planning to remain in the perilous sport only so long, and that they have already set dates for their retirement.

This at least is not the plan of Hoxsey, who has carried off practically every honor at the present meet.

"Why should I be planning to quit being an aviator?" said Hoxsey yesterday. "There is no more use of me planning when I am going to quit than there is for a merchant planning when he will quit. I may quit some time, but not for a long while yet. Why, I made my first flight alone June 15 of this year at Indianapolis Speedway, and I have not got over being enthusiastic about it."

Hoxsey not only holds the world's altitude record, but holds the endurance record for the flight from Springfield to St. Louis last summer. He also enjoys the distinction of having taken up former President Roosevelt in his biplane.

The aeroplane of the future will be a simple affair, says Hoxsey. He believes that it will be for the individual and will never be manufactured for carrying a number of persons. He thinks that the ideal aeroplane for the business man or for touring purposes will have folding wings and will have larger wheels, which will enable the craft to pass smoothly over the roads when not using its sails. For instance, if the traveler desired to enter a city for more fuel or provisions, he would simply alight, fold back his wings about his craft, and then, after the plan of the automobile, skim along the streets to the desired depot. Returning to the outskirts the wings would be extended again and the air passage taken.

Hoxsey is unspoiled and unembarassed when approached. He talks naturally about his achievements, and is not a bit stagey. He has a humorous turn of mind and when not engaged in the sterner business of guiding his aeroplane among the clouds, is continually seeking after funny situations. Yesterday, after he had descended from his great flight, a gushing young thing all in blue approached him and with a soulful look in her pretty eyes, said:

"Oh, Mr. Hoxsey; why did you try again to go away up there in the clouds when you already held the record?"

Hoxsey turned toward her with a sober face and said calmly:

"I dropped my goggles up there and went back for them."

The soulful young thing, seeing James Radley, the Englishman, nearby, said:

"Oh, Mr. Hoxsey, you are just spoofing me."

The Lion Roars.

RADLEY MAKES SPEED RECORD.

Cuts Down Time Made Early During the Meet.

Race Between Parmalee and Ely Booms Curtiss.

Each Type of Machine Has Its Excellencies.

James Radley, the Englishman who drives the fast Bleriot monoplane, negotiated the fastest five laps of the meet at the Aviation Field, yesterday afternoon, doing the eight and three quarters miles of the five-lap course in 9m. 17 1-5s., or at the rate of fifty-seven miles an hour. He went fifty-eight miles an hour for the fastest lap of 1m. 59s., which is the fastest lap of the meet.

Radley showed remarkable speed and made all his laps in less than 1m. 54s., in a high wind. With a monoplane such as Radley drives, it is possible to make great speed against the wind, provided it is not too strong, as there is less resisting surface. Fast as was the Curtiss racer with Ely driving, the French machine made better time, and it appeared to those doping the various machines that the Englishman will be the winner.

It was strictly a race day, yesterday, and more competitive stunts were pulled off than on all the other days of the meet put together. The races demonstrated that if the Curtiss machines are not stormy petrels at least they are swift as the falcon. They cleaned up the best machines in the Wright hangar, and Curtiss's pet racer made the Baby Wright look like a selling plater. In a race of five laps, which required a trifle over ten minutes to complete, the Curtiss machine beat its rival by more than half a minute.

REGAIN LAURELS.

It was a more propitious day for the Curtiss camp and by winning the speed contests, even though Radley's time was better, the Curtiss contingent partly regained the prestige lost through inability to fly or caution on Monday.

By the victory of the Curtiss machine over the "Baby," the Wright camp lost little of its own honors, as the magnificent exhibitions by Hoxsey and Brookins and the general all-around flying of the three stars held up the honor of the Wrights.

Hoxsey's flight for altitude was spectacular, as not only were his long glides back to earth spectacular, but his flights through the clouds were awe-inspiring, compared with which the soaring of an eagle is as nothing.

In addition to his high flights, Hoxsey rolled on "the ocean wave" and went through all manner of stunts. Then he won a three-lap race with his team-mate, P. O. Parmalee, the two machines starting off together and flying reversely over the course.

Hoxsey got away slightly in the lead and before the first turn got far enough ahead to throw Parmalee out of his course because of the propellor thrusts and thereafter the latter had to fight the maelstrom of air currents generated and was far behind at the finish.

Brookins made a flight of 3200 feet and then glided downward. He performed the spiral dip and other evolutions. He broke the chassis in one of his landings and thereafter was out of it for the afternoon.

Brookins has had a peeve since Sunday, when a policeman would not believe his story of identity and kept him from the field. It took all the tact Knabenshue could muster to bring the offended star to consent to fly again. Then, since Hoxsey has been winning so much fame, there has not been the opportunity for Brookins to shine to advantage, and professional rivalry is strong in both boys. To date Hoxsey has the honors.

SHORN WINGS.

The Baby Wright is to have a smaller set of planes and be tuned up still more. It made better time yesterday than heretofore, and with the contemplated improvements should be ready for the race today.

Curtiss has not yet trotted out his dark horse, the monoplane racer which he has been so mysterious about, and the aviation crowds are becoming impatient. They want to see this new thing and watch it fly.

Ely has shown himself a star since his first drive here, and his masterly jockeyship in the contest with Parmalee yesterday stamped him as a real race driver.

Willard appears to be more at home in the air than any of the American aviators. He has had far more experience and operates his machine in fine style. He gave exhibitions of shooting with a revolver and his bomb throwing was accurate. He scored four threes and would have had another had not one of the bombs struck one of the guy wires and been deflected for a miss.

Latham is working desperately on his machine and hopes to have it ready today, but the chances are that it will not fly until tomorrow.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS:

Los Angeles Derby: Won by Ely in Curtiss biplane; Parmalee, in Baby Wright biplane, second. Time, 10m., 5 2-5s.

Leading man's time by laps and totals:

By Laps—	Total.
2:02 4-5	2:02 4-5
2:01 3-5	4:04 2-5
2:01 1-5	6:05 3-5
2:00 3-5	8:06 1-5
1:59 1-5	10:05 2-5

Parmalee finished in 10:37 4-5.

Trial against time by Radley in Bleriot monoplane:

By Laps—	Total.
1:50	1:50
1:54	3:44
1:52 2-5	5:36 2-5
1:50 4-5	7:27 1-5
1:50	9:17 1-5

Exhibition trials for speed:

Parmalee in Baby Wright:

By Laps—	Total.
2:05 1-5	2:05 1-5
2:06	4:11 1-5
2:30 2-5	6:41 3-5
2:43 1-5	9:24 4-5

Only four laps.

Second exhibition by Paramalee:

By Laps—	Total.
2:02 2-5	2:02 2-5
2:02 1-5	4:04 3-5
2:02 4-5	6:07 2-5

Exhibition race of one lap:

Ely, in Curtiss racer, won in 1:58 1-5; Parmalee, in Wright Baby, 2:04 2-5.

ALTITUDE.

Hoxsey, 6800. Left ground at 1:20; descended at 2:34:50. Elapsed time, 1:34:50.

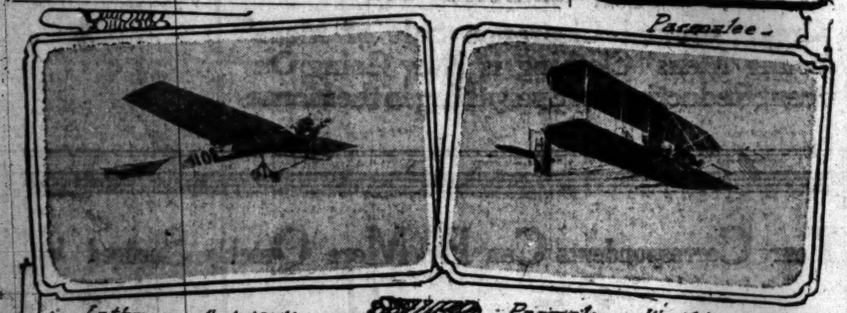
Brookins, 3200.

Ely, 2000 (estimated.)

BOMB THROWING.

					Total.	
Willard	0	3	3	3	12	up 300 ft.
Hoxsey	0	0	3	0	3	6 up 500 ft.
Parmalee	0	3	0	3	0	4 up 300 ft.
Ely	1	0	0	0	0	1 up 300 ft.
Beachey	3	3	disq'f'd			up 100 ft.
Radley	0	2	disq'f'd			up 250 ft.

Cross-country flights, to San Pedro hills, near Redondo: Gone 11 minutes.



Sky-climbing at Dominguez Field.

Sam Perkins on man-carrying kite.

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It is desired to repeat the crowds of Monday and to do this a large amount of steam will be turned on. One hundred special ticket-sellers will start out today to dispose of aviation tickets in big bunches. They will canvass the city thoroughly and will round up thousands of attendants at the big meet for the week to come.

DAY'S ENDURANCE.

Hoxsey	1:57:45
Willard	1:13:15
Parmalee	1:10:53
Ely	50:25
Radley	37:40
Beachey	36:05
Brookins	22:00

SETTLE ENDOWMENT ON AVIATOR'S WIFE.

General satisfaction reigned among the aviators who are showing their skill at Dominguez Field over the action of the Wright Company in endowing Mrs. Johnstone, whose husband was killed at Denver in making an exhibition flight, with $1000 a year for life. This to go to her children in case of death.

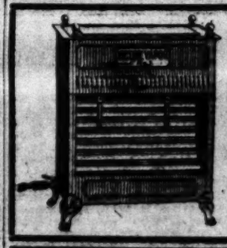
It was known for some time that the Wright Company had some plan of caring for Mrs. Johnstone, but it was thought that they would settle $10,000 on her in a lump sum. This, added to an equal sum of $10,000 which Johnstone had coming to him from prize moneys and a considerable sum in salaries, would make her independent. The plan of a yearly income was found more suited and hence adopted.

Roy Knabenshue, manager for the Wright Exhibition Company, who is here in charge of the Wrights' interests at the meet, stated yesterday that he had expected some such action from the company, and that the aviators are all in a very happy frame of mind over the prompt and generous action of the company. Johnstone was well beloved by all, and his two children, who, with Mrs. Johnstone, followed about the various meets, are well known by the aviators.

MOISANT IN DARING FLIGHT THROUGH GALE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—Gliding in deep spirals from an altitude of almost 9000 feet with a frozen carburetor, a dead engine, and blown five miles from his course by a forty-mile-an-hour gale, John B. Moisant swept down to within twenty feet of the ground at 100 miles an hour this afternoon at the Aviation Field. His engine thawed in the warmer level only in time to allow him to start his propellers and make a perilous passage from among the trees to a landing place. Moisant's altitude establishes the record for the New Orleans meet so far, the figures being given as 8038 feet. Despite his narrow escape, Moisant ... shortly afterward ... gale that was ... miles an hour and ... eight minutes each.



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[ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.]

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The opening of the ... a measure on the ... Theodore H. Ellison, ... to be instructed by ... in the use of biplanes.

Lieut. Ellison will ... euvers here and will also ... ments himself under ... going later to Los Angeles ... instructions at the ...

One of the features of the ... meet will be the ... to Los Angeles and ... weather conditions are ... big cash prize for this ... hung up by the ... city.

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FOR EXCHANGE—IMPROVED CITY PROPerty for ranch. 329 P. E. BLDG.

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Lot close-in, want house up to $4000.

Two fine lots. Price $1700. Want bungalow up to $5000.

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FOR EXCHANGE—1 LOT IN L. A.; LOTS in San Diego, will trade for equity on a bungalow. Ring up MRS. STRONG, Main

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FOR EXCHANGE—
40 acres, excellent land, in Chino Valley, Riverside county, has good modern 6-room house, well, first-class pumping plant, good engine house, land all fenced, bargain at $8000; mortgage $2500; want house in Los Angeles. Might assume mortgage on house.
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FOR EXCHANGE — 10-ACRE RANCH near Anaheim; 4-room house, barn, well, also Union Anaheim Water Co. stock for irrigating, for city property, farming implements, 50 chickens; price for a few days only $4500; will take clear L. A. part, balance long time; no agents. Address owner, X, box 35, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
20 acre walnut grove near the famous Chapman Ranch in Placentia district, large crop in sight, including 2 acres bearing Valencia orange ran tons; $650 per acre. Will take clear L. A. property part, balance terms. No agents. Address Owner PP., box 53, TIMES OFFICE.

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70 acres fine level land in San Joaquin Valley, 1½ miles from Depot on Southern Pacific Railroad; an abundance of water at 20 feet. Fine for alfalfa. Want house and lots, will assume some. S. D. MORRIS, 613 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

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FOR EXCHANGE — I WILL EXCHANGE your property. O. LITTCHEN, Beaumont, Cal.

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All Sorts.

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IF YOU WISH TO INVESTIGATE AN INdustrial investment offering that will pay 20 per cent. and show a steady increase in earning capacity, call and be convinced. NATIONAL SODA MFG. CO., 426 Germain Bldg.

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DO YOU WANT TO EARN $15,000 PER ANnum on a very reasonable outlay (which is refunded,) by representing in California the Federal Guaranty Company of Washington, D. C., $2,500,000 capital? This company guarantees land values against depreciation with gold bonds, and is doing a wonderfully successful business in other States; over $6,000,000 business in six months is its record; the last application for bonds paid the agent $7500, and one now pending will pay $5000; it's a wonderful money maker; if you want to get into something legitimate and remunerative call on me promptly and secure California (whole or half.) An unusual opportunity for right man or woman. L. Y. HANCOCK, Special Representative, 629 S. Grand ave., Wilhelm Apartments, 396. Home phone F2678.

FOR SALE—ONLY $200, $10 CASH AND $10 monthly. For a limited time only, we will deed 100 persons (ONE 40-ACRE) TRACT OF LAND, and a fine residence lot size 50x140 feet, located in a town of FIVE THOUSAND POPULATION. Have three Main Railroads. Two more coming. Santa spending two MILLION DOLLARS for SHOPS, YARDS and 150 ENGINE ROUND HOUSES. Factories, Packing houses, Wage earners receive $3.00 to $6.00 per day. Hundreds locating there. Investigate quick. Particulars at 224 LISSNER BLDG., Los Angeles, Cal.

AN OPPORTUNITY IS OFFERED TO AN energetic person to obtain an interest (silent or active) in an established electrical and mechanical contracting business in the Imperial Valley; will require $2500; money is needed in the business; annual gross business will exceed $25,000; Electrical or mechanical experience not necessary, if competent to handle office and public. This is a rare opportunity and will bear investigation. Address BO., 438, El Centro, Cal.

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FOR SALE—WE HAVE 2 FIRST-CLASS stocks of groceries, one located in this city, the other in a small, prosperous Southern California town; both stocks in first-class condition, and doing a good business. If you are interested call at 400 EQUITABLE SAVINGS BANK BLDG., where copies of the inventories can be seen, and make arrangements to inspect the stocks.

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FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS. Including good supply store; agency for low-priced, 5-seater; also agency for a high-priced car, and good rental business; no repairs; in a flourishing city not far from Los Angeles; established six years; owner going East; will require $5000 to $7000 to handle; will bear the strictest investigation. Address Business, box 41, TIMES OFFICE.

I KNOW OF A PLACER MINE WHICH can be had on the most liberal terms ever offered, small cash payment, balance we pay will be directed by a practical mineral, and I want a partner to come and go with me to examine the property; we don't put up any money; we are both convinced. Address X, box 1, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—A GOOD MONEY MAKING new and up-to-date grocery store in fast growing town of 1,500; doing $2000 business monthly; you can enlarge the business and do better; you can handle it with $4000 to $6000; good agents co-operate. O. LITTCHEN, Beaumont, Cal.

FOR SALE—OLD ESTABLISHED RETAIL bakery or delicatessen, doing a good paying business, fine location, cheap rent, lease; this will pay you to investigate; a rare snap from owner and save agents' commission, good reason for selling out. Write for appointments. Address W, box 43, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OR WOMAN FOR office work; well established real estate business. Will take $1 or cash for half interest in business. Address X, box 36, TIMES OFFICE.

I WANT A GOOD MAN TO TAKE HALF interest in my big paying office business; have more business than I can attend to, to right party will make an offer of $200. Address X, box 49, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — HALF INTEREST OFFERED in one of the best paying grocery stores in Los Angeles; clears $1; doing $190 daily business; will sacrifice; will invoice about $2000. See PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

CONTROLLING INTEREST IN AN INCORporated business for $300. Money fully secured and salary of $18 per week. Opportunity quick. Owner going East. Address X, box 67, TIMES OFFICE.

IF YOU ARE FROM CALIFORNIA, OREgon, Washington, New Mexico or Texas and want a safe, profitable future, I have a proposition it will pay you to investigate. HAYDEN, 406 Hamburger Office Building.

$600 BUYS HALF WORKING INTEREST well established local business. Investment secured. Call 218 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., 4th and Broadway.

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FOR SALE — DAIRY LUNCH COUNTER business, grandly fitted up, right here in center; great thoroughfare; sacrifice, $1200. See PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

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BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY STORES only. Before you buy or sell, see us. BAKERS' AND CONFECTIONERS' SALES BUREAU, 426-428 Mason Bldg. M. A. Bley, Mgr.

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FOR SALE—CONFECTIONERY, GROCERies, cigars, tobacco, fruits, 3 living rooms, furnished complete; good location for delicatessen and lunch. $500. OWNER, 1709 S. Main.

GIVEN AWAY FREE, MAP OF ALL THE California oil fields; also trial subscription of 5th BOCCOMBE, "California Oil Fields." SAGAR-LOOMIS COMPANY, 509 I. W. Hellman Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—MAN WITH $500 FOR HALF INterest in business strictly cash. Will clear $2000 a year; secured. Give phone. Address W, box 88, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR RENT—STORE ROOM AND DWELLing. Modern, small stock groceries at invoice. Choice location. Small capital required. Address W, box 64, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GENTLEMAN WITH SOME office experience and energetic may secure interest in established business; small investment; salary. Call 425 STORY BLDG.

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FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE. 1251 SOUTH Olive. Stock and fixtures invoice about $1000. Suitable for man and wife. PHONE 62220.

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GROCERY, CONFECTIONERY, FRUITS, soda fountain, insurance, fixtures, furnished living-room. 807 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED — WILL PAY FROM $600 TO $1000 for grocery store, must be a bargain. 212 STIMSON BLDG.

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BUSINESS CHANCES—
For Sale.

WORLD FOR MARKET; NO COMPETITION. Fix our own profits up to 500 per cent. Need one or two reliable investors to join similar people in manufacture and sale of big labor saver in fruit business. Principals only. For reference and information, address S, box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANT SOME SMALL BUSINESS; HAVE clear lots and little cash; give phone. Address W, box 89, TIMES OFFICE.

WITH OR WITHOUT FURNITURE. COR. store, 11 CENTRAL.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
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QUICK LOANS ON FURNITURE, PIANOS and other personal property; no publicity; goods remain in your possession; money ready same day; LOWEST rates in city. Tell us what you want or can be repaid as convenient, reducing interest accordingly; also short loans on real estate, first or second mortgages; money same DAY; no brokerage fee; it pays to deal with a reliable firm; 13 years established. CLARK & CO., 310 Security Bldg., 310 Spring st. Phone F7351; Main 6832.

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We loan from $10 to $100 to salaried people, WITHOUT ANY SECURITY WHATEVER, upon their plain note. They pay the money back to us WEEKLY, SEMI-MONTHLY OR MONTHLY. Payments to be made in any amount they feel they are able to pay without inconvenience to them. EMPLOYER, BUSINESS ASSOCIATES OR FRIENDS will not know of any business dealings with us. Railroad, bank or any person holding a salaried position can depend on us for CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT and LOWEST RATES.
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About January 6 we will have $30,000 to loan for three years at 6 per cent. on improved property between First, Sixteenth, Main and Figueroa sts.
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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Atty.-Gen. O'Malley received permission from Justice Amend, in the Supreme Court today to bring suit for forfeiture of charter against ten express companies in this city, mostly with offices on the lower east side, for alleged violations of the law. According to the Attorney-General's position, the companies have all been organized within the last six months, the purpose of their organization being to evade the new banking laws, which require corporations and individuals doing a strictly banking business, to obtain a license from the State banking department, and to deposit with the State controller cash or securities to the value of from $10,000 to $50,000.

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Slowly Suffocating Pending Arrival of Troops.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WESTON (W. Va.) Dec. 27.—William Furby, a negro, for hours tonight was between two fires—death at the hands of a mob, or suffocation in the iron vault of the express office at the local railway station. Outside the little building a crowd of several hundred persons waited from afternoon until late into the night, demanding the life of the prisoner for alleged assaults upon Miss Flora Anglin, daughter of a prominent farmer, and for an attempt to murder her.

While the mob waited a large squad of deputies and the Sheriff kept the negro locked in the express safe, where he had little air to breathe.

For hours the crowd waited, but for want of a leader it failed to move with sufficient force to dislodge the deputies and take possession of the express room. They stormed the place several times, breaking all the windows, and forced open the doors, but were unable to gain access to the safe.

AWAITING MILITIA.

The only hope of the authorities, however, to get their prisoner to the jail at Clarksburg, as they intended to do when the mob collected, was in the arrival of State troops. An order was issued early in the evening for the mobilization of the militia at several points, but although special trains were provided it was doubtful if the soldiers would reach the scene before early morning.

The appearance of Mr. Anglin, father of Miss Anglin, an aged man, upon the platform of the station, telling the crowd that the story of his daughter was as true as steel, set the mob wild.

Prosecuting Attorney Swint made attempts to appeal to the mob from a truck, but the truck was drawn from beneath him and the crowd yelled him down. The officials were unable to cope with the situation at this time.

An appeal to Gov. Glascock at Charleston for State troops was followed immediately by an order for the mobilization of the militia at Clarksburg, Grafton and Parkersburg and their dispatch here by special train.

After the negro's hearing this afternoon he was held to the grand jury without bail, to answer to the charge of assault and attempt murder.

GIRL TELLS STORY.

The Anglin girl took the stand herself after all other witnesses and spectators were excluded from the courtroom, and told how Furby attacked her while she was returning from the dairy on her father's farm last Saturday night.

While she struggled, he dragged her fully 200 yards, and following the attacks he was in the act of strangling her when a railroad flagman came running to her rescue. The negro ran to a horse tied near-by and made off, but the animal fell, throwing the rider. His shoulder was dislocated and he was captured.

Following the hearing a mob collected at the Courthouse, and demanded the negro, but with the organization of a large squad of deputies and State regular force, Sheriff Alfred succeeded in getting his man to the railroad station, planning to take him to Clarksburg. The train was an hour late, however, and the mob meanwhile grew to such proportions that when the train arrived the authorities were unable to carry out their plans.

GIANTS CATCH TINY ONE.

Three of Largest Men on Police Force Capture Bo

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Today's Entes.

Auditorium—"The Man of the Hour", 8:15 p.m.
Belasco—"The Way Out" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Burbank—"The Battle" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Los Angeles—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 7:30, 9:00 p.m.
Grand—"The Terrorist" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Majestic—"A Man's World" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Mason—"In Search of a Sinner" .....
2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Orpheum—Vaudeville .....2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Pantages—Vaudeville .....2:30, 7:30, 9:00 p.m.

SPORTS.

Meet—Aviation, at Dominguez Field.. All days
Auto Show—At Fiesta Park.....10:00 a.m.
Baseball—Doyles vs. McCormicks, at Vernon ..... 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Acknowledgment of Generosity.

The Little Sisters of the Poor, under whose auspices a most successful Christmas was enjoyed by the inmates of the Home for the Aged, No. 2700 East First street, are desirous of expressing their sincere thanks to the many whose generosity contributed to make that occasion a happy one.

Services for Electrician.

Many friends of Walter Strong, the young electrician who was accidentally electrocuted in the Pacific Electric power house last Friday, gathered in the Cathedral of St. Vibiana for the funeral services held yesterday morning. Reverend Father Hagerty conducted the services, the Gregorian mass for the dead being rendered by Fathers Brady and Kirk.

Christmas Cantata Rendered.

"The Shepherd King," the ever-popular Christmas cantata, was the feature of the services held at the Pico Heights Congregational Church last evening. In addition to the choir, conducted by Ralph Demorest, the rendition was made exceptionally effective by the performance of Soloists Edith Johnston, Rowena Smith, Ralph Corkran and George Gribben.

Public Utility Properties.

The Engineers and Architects Association of Southern California will meet next Tuesday at 6 p.m. at the Hollenbeck Cafe. A talk will be given on "The Appraisal of the Property of Public Utility Corporations," by Horatio A. Foster. Foster is one of the principal consulting and constructing engineers of Chicago. His work has been chiefly the valuing of electric power plants and the study of traffic problems in some of the leading cities.

Boy Missing From Home.

Clarence Johnston, a 14-year-old boy, has been missing from his home No. 294 Ninth street, Oakland, since the middle of September. Nothing has been heard of him since then and his parents are distracted over his absence.

He has a full round face, fair complexion, dark hair, weighs about 120 pounds. He squints with one eye. He is a good talker and makes friends easily. The Boys and Girls Aid Society, No. 460 Baker street, San Francisco, seeks him and offers reward.

Meeting to Give Thanks.

An entertainment and prayer meeting will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Auditorium to give thanks for the blessings of the past year. Everybody will be made welcome without regard to creed or nationality, and no collection will be made. Organ music will be a feature of the programme. Among the speakers will be Dr. Matthew S. Hughes of Pasadena; Dean William McCormack, of Saint Paul's Pro-Cathederal; Rabbi S. Hecht of the B'nai B'rith synagogue, Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, pastor of the Temple Auditorium.

BREVITIES.

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Death Takes a Loyal Employee of Seventeen Years' Service from "The Times" Large Linotype Battery.

The Times lost one of its faithful servants and its employees a cheerful and loyal friend in the death of Charles F. Encell, a linotype operator, who passed away yesterday at his home, No. 3017 Halldale avenue.

Encell was 35 years of age and had been in the service of The Times for seventeen years. Starting as a galley boy, practically the entirety of his mature life had been passed in the composing room, and he was known as one of the most reliable and efficient men on the large linotype battery.

His illness had dated from last July, at which time he was obliged to quit work because of a chronic defection of the nasal passages. An operation was necessary, and it resulted in the formation of a blood clot at the base of the brain, assigned by Dr. G. M. Webster as the cause of death.

Encell leaves a widow, Anna, and two children, James and Clarence, aged 7 and 4 years, respectively. Of the three brothers and four sisters now living, all but one, Harry, an attorney of Oakland, are resident in this city. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Encell, also reside near Los Angeles.

The funeral services will be held at the Los Angeles crematory tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Jesse P. McKnight, of the Magnolia Avenue Christian Church, officiating. The body will be cremated.

EARTHQUAKE.

IMPERIAL, Dec. 27.—The series of earthquake shocks which began Sunday night continued today. Two shocks of more than usual force were felt this morning. No damage so far as known.

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VITAL RECORD.

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BONNER—SHAW. William H. Bonner, 22; Esther Shaw, 21.
BROWN—SHAVER. Thomas J. Brown, 40; Effie M. Shaver, 25.
CARPENTER—HEAPS. Lewis Carpenter, 32; Charlotte B. Heaps, 32.
CHANTELOIS—SCRIBNER. Arthur Chantelois, 21; Maude Scribner, 20.
CORET—BOGGS. George G. Corey, 32; Ina B. Boggs, 20.
CUNNINGHAM—CROWLEY. Archibald L. Cunningham, 28; Margaret T. Crowley, 21.
CURLEY—NEIDHEISER. John Curley, 23; Catharine Neidheiser, 22.
DURGIN—SANDERS. George W. Durgin, 47; Mary J. Sanders, 45.
FESCAGE—EVEORA. Manuel Fescage, 32; Valeant Eveora, 20.
GORDON—GIBSON. Edgar Gordon, 32; Anna Gibson, 25.
HARPER—WILLIAMS. Gus C. Harper, 31; Effie Williams, 21.
HENDERSON—WHITED. Lynn W. Henderson, 23; Margaret A. Whited, 21.
HILLMAN—SMITH. Otto C. Hillman, 24; Maud Smith, 22.
HINES—CROFT. John R. Hines, 25; Daisy L. Croft, 24.
KNAPP—HOLST. Ralph L. Knapp, 46; Beulah Holst, 22.
LAKE—LEONARD. Robert D. Lake, 24; Edna Leonard, 24.
LANMEDEE—ELLENBERGER. Russell L. Lanmedee, 21; Sadie C. Ellenberger, 19.
LEWIS—KIMBROUGH. James A. Lewis, 20; Annie Kimbrough, 20.
MAY—TAYLOR. Arthur R. May, 23; Nina Taylor, 16.
M'MANUS—BOGGS. George T. McManus, 21; Anna C. Boggs, 18.
MILLER—MALEDY. George L. Miller, 47; Kate O. Maledy, 42.
MITCHELL—INYADA. John Mitchell, 22; Hortense Inyada, 18.
MORRILL—DUKE. James Morrill, 23; Mary Duke, 25.
OGAN—KIRBY. Ralph M. Ogan, 21; Edna M. Kirby, 19.
OLIVER—GRAY. William J. Oliver, 40; Nellie Gray, 40.
ORTIZ—MARTINEZ. Julian Ortiz, 24; Felipado Martinez, 25.
PRYOR—THURSTON. Thomas B. Pryor, 24; Ruth Thurston, 17.
ROBERTS—ANDRUS. M. O. Roberts, 22; Harriet Andrus, 22.
SHAVER—PUTNAM. Eugene L. Shaver, 24; Helen Putnam, 21.
SMITH—ANDERSON. Raymond Smith, 25; Anna Anderson, 25.
STEEN—JOHNSON. Oliver B. Steen, 54; Estella Johnson, 35.
STOCKING—BLAKE. Ralph H. Stocking, 23; Georgia R. Blake, 22.
TALBOT—MATO. John Talbot, 32; Florence Mayo, 28.
VASQUEZ—BUSTAMENTO. Erasma Vasquez, 22; Lory Bustamento, 17.
WHITTON—KELLY. Edwin C. Whitton, 34; Martha Kelly, 30.
WYATT—GARMON. James M. Wyatt, 80; Sarah A. Garmon, 64.
ZENNICK—CARROLL. Noah Zennick, 40; Geneva Carroll, 40.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BERRY. Minnedell and John. Boy. 2432 South Hoover street. December 20.
CUMMINGS. Mary and John. Daughter. 1253 West Jefferson street. December 8.
FRANEHOFF. Freda and Edward. Boy. 722 East Forty-fifth street, December 18.
FREEMAN. Jennie and G. L. Daughter. 1239 West Thirty-ninth street. December 16.
FUJII. Tomi and Hiromoto. Boy. 1325 East Twenty-seventh street. December 22.
LETTERIO. Adlina and Zio. Daughter. La-guna Ranch. December 9.
RICHARDS. Frances and William. Daughter. 1837 Magnolia avenue. December 25.
SANDOVAL. Martina and Saturino. Boy. 732 Alva street. December 24.
SHAN. Ruby and John. Daughter. St. Anne's Maternity Hospital. December 3.
SMITH. Jennie and Ernest M. Daughter. 1490 East Forty-second street. December 25.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BATHGATE. Julia B. against James H.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
AVILA, Patrino A. Los Angeles	72	24
BAST, Horace. Los Angeles	60	26
BERGER, Peter. Los Angeles	27	22
BIRMINGHAM, Thomas. Los Angeles	77	24
BLEDSOE, Rospie. Los Angeles	1 mo.	24
BOARDMAN, William K. Los Angeles	58	26
BRANTER, Sarah J. Los Angeles	85	24
CARMICHAEL, Mary S. Los Angeles	83	27
CHILES, Mabel. Los Angeles	21	26
CLAY, Lena E. Los Angeles	27	25
COE, Emily M. Los Angeles	81	26
CRAFT, Lucinda. Los Angeles	72	24
DEMANET, John B. Los Angeles	82	26
FISHER, Ellen. Los Angeles	23	23
FORD, Banner. Los Angeles	35	26
FREEMAN, Mary. Los Angeles	28	23
GARRETT, Joseph G. Los Angeles	5 mos.	24
HELMKE, Harry M. Los Angeles	24	25
HOLLAND, Robia S. Los Angeles	42	25
HOLLOWAY, Thomas L. Los Angeles	71	26
JENKINS, Earl D. Los Angeles	36	26
LANGLEY, Alfred C. Los Angeles	66	27
LEMON, Newton E. Los Angeles	40	24
PIESTE, Lillian. Los Angeles	5 mos.	25
PRESHAW, Robert G. Los Angeles	74	25
PROUTY, Annette H. Los Angeles	65	25
ROONEY, Henry. Los Angeles	18	26
ROSS, Jessie C. Los Angeles	3	26
SOUN, Chin K. Los Angeles	39	25
THOMPSON, Allan F. Los Angeles	18	23
VAN VOORHIS, Mary E. Los Angeles	36	26

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

CHILES. December 26, at No. 291 East Avenue 40, Mabel Chiles, aged 21 years.
Funeral today at 3:15 a.m. from parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor. Requiem mass at Sacred Heart Church at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

CONKLIN. At Perris, Cal., December 26, Sarah S. Conklin, in 81st year of her age.
Interment in Mexico, N. Y.

FOSTER. At No. 757 Ruth avenue, December 25, 1910, Frank Foster, aged 40 years.
Funeral Wednesday from Bresee Brothers to the Cathedral, where services will be held at 2 o'clock.

DOULTON. December 27 ,at Miramar, Santa Barbara, Emmaline Doulton.
Funeral at All Saints Church, Montecito, at 2 o'clock Wednesday, December 28.

JENKINS. Earl D. Jenkins, aged 36 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Robert L. Garrett & Co. today at 2:30 p.m.

LANGLEY. At No. 967 West Fifty-first place, December 27, 1910, Alfred C. Langley, aged 66 years.
Remains at Bresee Brothers. Interment, Taylorsville, Ill.

MATTHEWS. In this city, December 27, 1910, infant son of Wickliffe J. and Helen Matthews.
Funeral will be private from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 519 South Flower street, Wednesday, December 28, at 11 a.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

MATTOON. At her residence, No. 1025 West Eighteenth street, December 27, 1910, Phoebe A., wife of Edwin D. Mattoon.
Funeral services will be held at residence Thursday, December 29, at 11 o'clock a.m. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery.

M'DONALD. At Graham Station, December 24, 1910, Alexander McDonald, aged 63 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 519 South Flower street, Wednesday, December 28, at 10 a.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

MEREDITH. At Duarte, Cal., December 26, 1910, Capt. Thomas Meredith, aged 88 years, 2 months, 28 days.
Funeral at the house, Duarte, Cal., Thursday, December 29, at 2:30 p.m. No flowers. Interment private.

PRESHAW. At No. 4555 Hammell street, December 26, Dr. Robert Gibson Preshaw, aged 74 years.
Funeral from Boyle Heights Undertaking Parlors, Wednesday, December 28, 3:30 p.m. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery

PROUTY. Los Angeles, December 25, 1910, Annette H., wife of W. L. Prouty, aged 65 years.
Funeral at the chapel of Bresee Brothers, 955 South Figueroa, Wednesday at 2:30 p.m.

SMULLIN. At No. 1238 West Twenty-fourth street, Emma Smullin, aged 49 years.
Funeral Thursday at 3 o'clock from Sutch's funeral parlors, No. 842 Figueroa street. Interment, Lawrence, Kan.

VAN VOORHIS. In this city, December 26, 1910, Marie Elizabeth Van Voorhis, aged 36 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 519 South Flower street, Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

HANST. Accidentally, at Pomona, Cal., December 26, 1910, Jacob Hanst of No. 1788 West Twenty-fifth street, Los Angeles, aged 55 years.
Remains at Bresee Brothers' chapel. Funeral at the Scottish Rite Cathedral, No. 829 South Hope street, Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery, by car.

WILLARD. At her home, No. 1563 Rockwood avenue, December 26, 1910, Liddia Willard, aged 85 years.
Friends may call at the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., Wednesday. Funeral from the chapel of North Broadway Christian Church Thursday at 2 p.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

The members of Stanton Woman's Relief Corps are respectfully requested to attend the funeral of Lydia R. Willard, to be held at Broadway Christian Church, No. 225 North Broadway, Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p.m. Burial at Rosedale Cemetery.

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All Foresters are invited to attend the funeral of Companion Lidia Willard, late member of Companion Court Los Angeles, No. 15, I.O.F., Thursday, December 29, at 2 o'clock, Broadway Christian Church.

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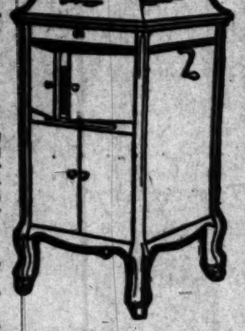

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COUNTY AND COMPANY BATTLE IN THE DARK.

Seeming Misunderstanding as to Official Orders Precipitates Nocturnal Fight Between Deputy Sheriffs and Telephone Linemen Over Strip of Land at Covina. Fifty Arrested.

WHAT was thought to be an effort on the part of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company to steal a march upon the county resulted yesterday morning in a nocturnal battle at Covina between a force of deputy sheriffs and some half a hundred linemen employed by the company. After a fight in which two men were slightly injured, the telephone men were arrested and arraigned yesterday on various charges before a Covina justice of the peace. More than seventy-five cases are now pending against the phone employees.

Apparently the trouble originated through a misunderstanding of the orders issued in regard to a strip of Covina land by Supervisor C. D. Manning. The land has been in dispute for some time past and it is claimed that the telephone company has been ordered to keep off. On their part, they exhibit signed permits from Manning, allowing them to finish their new Yuma trunk line by way of the Covina strip.

They realized that there would be trouble with the local ranchmen and for that reason, so they say, it was decided to occupy the desired territory under cover of the darkness. A big force of linemen, with teams, poles, wire and full equipment, were rushed down from the Pomona end of the line about 4 o'clock yesterday morning and put to work on the gap with the expectation that it would be bridged before morning.

The move was one that had been anticipated. For the past week deputy sheriffs have been on guard over the strip and the night invaders had not been at work more than a few minutes when they were discovered by Deputy Sheriff George W. Griffiths of Covina. There were some peremptory orders and some equally snappy refusals and then things came to blows. Griffiths felled two of the telephone men with the butt of a big revolver and the fight was raging merrily around his overturned watchman's lantern when the scale was turned in his favor by the arrival of reinforcements for the county. Deputy Sheriff George W. Van Vliet, Constable I. C. Fairly and Deputy Constable Edward Goodnight arrived on the double quick from Covina and in a twinkling Foreman H. H. Gilmore of the Sunset company and twenty of his men were under arrest.

Justice of the Peace H. N. Wells was routed out of his bed to make out the complaints, and spent the rest of the night and most of yesterday in doing so. Thirty-eight of the cases pending are on charges of disturbing the peace, one for trespass, and twenty for the more serious offense of resisting a county officer in the performance of his duty.

MORE CASES PENDING.

Besides these, there were eighteen arrests on Sunday morning on the same disputed territory, all charged with disturbing the peace. These cases were continued on Sunday by Justice Wells and the workmen were released on their own recognizance.

The big crowd of prisoners, clad in khaki and weighted down with pole-climbers, filled the little courtroom all day yesterday, until their release was obtained through the placing of a bond of $2100 by the telephone company through the company's legal representatives, John G. Mott of Mott & Dillon of Los Angeles, and Gall & Pence of Covina. Foreman Gilmore of the telephone crew had the distinction of receiving three different issuances of complaint against his name. He is charged by Deputy Sheriff Griffiths with resisting an officer, with trespassing upon Griffiths's property and cutting the telephone connection that led to Griffiths's residence, and with disturbing the peace. His bail was fixed at $250, while the others were all $100.

Griffiths claims that he has three witnesses who heard Foreman Gilmore say that it was he who cut the wires that prevented the Deputy Sheriff from telephoning for assistance to Covina. Help was obtained when Griffiths reached the home of O. W. Vincent, where he got in communication with Fairly and Van Vliet, who arrived twenty minutes afterward in an automobile and a stable rig.

Griffiths, who is the owner of thirty acres of oranges and a handsome residence near the territory now in dispute, is chairman of the Committee on Roads and Boulevards of the Covina Chamber of Commerce. He says that when the telephone company made ready to place poles on a strip of land between Azusa street and Azusa avenue, he got into communication with Supervisor Manning, and that Manning instructed him to forbid the trespass contemplated by the telephone company.

THE BATTLE GROUND.

The ground in question is a continuation of a street just south of Griffiths property. Whether or not it has been legally occupied by the telephone company is now a nice point for the county and the company to settle. The land, a strip thirty feet wide, has been deeded to the county.

Griffiths, in common with several prominent ranchers in the vicinity, are desirous of keeping the company out of the privilege of stringing lines until the road has been deeded to the county to the extent of forty feet in width, and are basing their claim of trespass against the company on the grounds that a State law provides that a county shall not accept the deed to a county road that is less than forty feet in width.

John Mott, attorney for the company, stated yesterday that the company had full right to proceed with this piece of work. He produced a written permit, signed by Supervisor Manning, and dated on November 19, 1910, which authorized the Pacific company to erect twenty-six poles on this strip of road.

He said that the reason the company's men had been rushed in during the early morning darkness, was that Road Overseer Henry W. Hassheider had given the company to understand that any attempt to proceed with the work of the line would be met with armed resistance; in fact that the men would be prevented from working at the point of guns. Hassheider is another rancher of prominence in the valley, who owns land adjacent to the disputed strip.

DENIES THE PERMIT.

Griffiths repudiated all knowledge of a permit having been signed by Supervisor Manning, and refused to admit its importance when shown the paper in Justice Wells' court, stating that he received orders on Sunday, December 25, from Supervisor Manning, instructing him to guard the road and prevent the work from being carried out. He also pointed out that he could not recognize the authority of a permit that was signed by the Supervisor alone and not by the chairman of the Board and the clerk of the Board.

When the toilers in the darkness were commanded to desist from work, Deputy Sheriff Griffiths states that the men attempted to surround him, and that he knocked two men down with his pistol in self-defense. All the men arrested pleaded not guilty to the charge of resisting the officer. That all of the men in the crew were not rounded up by the officers is the opinion of Griffiths, who says that one man whom he struck was afterwards seen to be cut and bleeding from a gash in his face, and this man was not in the crew when they were arraigned before the justice.

Some of the complaints were signed by the Road Overseer, H. W. Hassheider, and others by Deputy Sheriffs Van Vliet and Griffiths. After the placing of $2100 in bonds, the men were released, and an examination will be held by Justice Wells at two o'clock next Tuesday. The telephone line is a part of the trunk line system from Los Angeles to Yuma, and Attorney Mott stated that this small Covina strip is the only right of way which has not been completely settled on the line.

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RICH HOLDINGS SETTLERS KEEP.

SURVEYOR-GENERAL DECIDES AGAINST STATE.

Judgment is That Overflow of Colorado River Does Not Make Lands "Swamp" Within Meaning of Law. Appeal May Be Taken to Department of Interior.

Hundreds of settlers in Riverside county along the Colorado River won a preliminary skirmish with the State over 138,240 acres of land yesterday when E. H. Archer, United States Surveyor-General for California, decided in their favor.

The State has been seeking for several months to oust the claimants and get title to the property on the ground that it is "overflowed and swamp land."

The land has been considerably improved and has become of great value. The outcome of the contest with the State has been of great moment to the settlers for their very homes were at stake.

Six townships are involved in the litigation. They were surveyed in 1850 and found to be agricultural land. This return was made to the Land Office and settlers were permitted to take up homestead claims.

The ground is low-lying and the river backs up at certain times of the year on a considerable part of it. Three years ago the government withdrew it from entry while it made an investigation as to the feasibility of carrying out a reclamation project. This idea was abandoned and it was its fertility and made application for again opened to the public.

Hundreds of entrymen discovered homesteads. There were more applicants than could be supplied.

The day before the local Land Office was intending to throw it open for entry, the State made application to the United States Surveyor-General for a hearing to determine the classification of the land. He requested the local register and receiver to temporarily withhold the land until he could ascertain the character of the land.

His decision, which was rendered yesterday, is a complete victory for the settlers. If no appeal is taken they can proceed to make their proofs on the land and eventually patent it.

The State has the right to appeal to the Secretary of the Interior for a review of the decision and it is likely that this will be done. Whatever might be the outcome of the appeal, the land would be withheld from entry for some time.

Meantime the persons residing on it can continue with the cultivation. If the State finally wins, they might be compelled to pay to it the profits which they made from the soil.

In his decision the Surveyor-General states:

"I have examined the testimony in the foregoing case and find that the witnesses for the State and also those for the government all agree on one vital point at issue, that is, that without the overflow of the Colorado River, crops could not be raised on the land in question, and instead of the overflow rendering the land unfit for cultivation, it is only by reason of the overflow that crops can be raised at all.

"The evidence all goes to show that the Colorado River is subject to occasional overflows of varying heights; sometimes a small portion of the land is covered and sometimes a large portion. It appears that at no time, even during the highest overflow, was all of the land in the valley covered with water. It does not appear from the evidence what particular legal subdivisions of the land involved were flooded at any particular time.

"I am therefore impelled to the conclusion that the State has failed to prove that the greater part of each smallest legal subdivision in question was swamp and overflowed on September 28, 1850, or any time thereafter.

"In my opinion the doctrine of 'res adjudicata' does not apply to a considerable portion of these lands and in so far as it does apply, I believe the State is precluded from raising the question as to the character of the land, but I do not deem it necessary to base my conclusion on this point for the reasons stated in the preceding paragraphs.

"As the burden rests upon the State to prove the swamp and overflowed character of the land on September 28, 1850, which it has failed to do, the land in question does not, in my opinion, inure to the State under its grant."

Oswald West,
Governor-elect of Oregon, who is visiting in Los Angeles.

GOVERNOR-ELECT HERE.

Newly Chosen Chief Executive of Oregon Comes to Los Angeles With Wife and Sick Little Daughter.

Oswald West, Governor-elect of Oregon, accompanied by his wife and daughter, has been staying a few days in Los Angeles, where they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Moss of No. 438 West Forty-fifth street.

West, although a Democrat and living in a strong Republican State, was elected by a majority of over 6000 votes. He will be the youngest Governor in the United States.

He served as State Land Agent under the first Chamberlain administration. Upon Chamberlain's re-election as Governor, West was appointed a member of the Oregon Railroad Commission. West will leave for Oregon this evening. Mrs. West will remain here for some weeks, owing to the poor health of their little daughter.

MAKES NOVEL REQUEST.

Former Prisoner Wants Loan of Rogue's Gallery Picture So He Can Be Identified at Postoffice.

A former prisoner appeared at the police station yesterday with the odd request that he be allowed t take his picture to the postoffice so he could be identified and get a money-order cashed.

R. Snelson, employed in a local wholesale house, is the man who made the request and was refused.

"Sergeant, will you identify me or let me identify myself so I can get some money," said he to the desk sergeant.

"Identify you? Why, I don't know you," the sergeant replied.

"Don't know me?" repeated Snelson, "Why I am the guy who stole the beer and pleaded guilty. You surely must remember me because I was in jail here three months ago. Just look at the pictures upstairs and there you will find mine."

Snelson was told that his request was something new and as no precedent had been established they objected to starting it.

Holiday Fun.

SLAP SHOPPERS WITH HALIBUT.

HURL DUTCH LUNCH VIANDS AT PEDESTRIANS.

In Fit of Yuletide Hilarity, Two Young Men Bombard Innocent Passersby with Store of Fish and Sausages Destined for Midnight Supper—Police Issue Complaints.

Smoked herring, bologna sausage and other dainties with which Fred Harvey planned to tickle his palate at a "Dutch lunch" are to be the principal exhibits against him when he appears in Police Court today to answer to a charge of disturbing the peace. A friend who was with him escaped.

Inspired by holiday spirits Harvey and his friend, Christmas eve, purchased bologna, smoked herring, liverwurst and an enormous halibut. On the way to their home Harvey decided it would be more fun to "swat" shoppers with the herring and sausages than to eat them.

With that happy thought in mind, the police say Harvey walked several blocks, throwing a herring at one man and a sausage at another while his friend enjoyed himself greatly by slipping up unawares behind a pedestrian and pounding him on the back with the halibut.

Though the two men enjoyed the celebration greatly, others couldn't see that it was a laughing matter at all and at their request the police investigated.

After questioning several men who said their other clothes had gone to the cleaners, the police decided to charge the men with disturbing the peace.

ART SCHOOL REBUILDING.

New Structure Will Soon Rise on the Beautiful Site Overlooking the Arroyo Seco.

The complete restoration, by next Sunday, of the Los Angeles School of Fine Arts, is the New Year's greeting which Prof. Walter Judson will offer to the public. Prof. Judson's academy building was destroyed by fire about two weeks ago.

It was 5 o'clock in the morning that the flames were discovered and many of the boarding pupils had narrow escapes.

The School of Fine Arts is at the end of Pasadena avenue, almost overhanging the picturesque Arroyo Seco which offers a wealth of scenic subjects for Prof. Judson's pupils.

For thirty years Garvanza has been famous as a center of arts and artists of every type and the residents of that community are glad that the destroyed edifice is to be immediately rebuilt.

Trail Trial.

RIGHT ON SPOT COURT MEETS.

Called in a Hurry to "Sit On" Big-gun Man.

Sierra Madre Boys Report Queer "Hold-up."

Weapons on Mount Wilson a Trouble Source.

Dashing breathlessly into Sierra Madre night before last, four small boys threw the foothill city into a near-panic of excitement with the news that they had been the victims of another daring hold-up on the Wilson trail.

Town Marshal George Ray was hastily summoned from the contemplation of his Christmas tree. The boys, Donald Baxter, Victor Hill, Max Leon and another, all of Sierra Madre, gasped out in frightened chorus that there was a man coming down from the top of Mt. Wilson who had threatened them with a gun "as big as that," indicating something of a size between a howitzer and a field rifle.

The marshal and an impromptu posse at once set off for the foot of the trail and lay in wait for the supposed bandit, who presently appeared in the person of Charles Johnstone, who was acting as escort for a party of young women on the trip down the mountain. Identified by the boys as their footpad, Johnstone was arrested and relieved of an army revolver, also identified as the ordnance in question.

Johnstone did not deny that he had drawn the weapon upon the boys, but had an explanation ready and the young ladies of his party were likewise voluble in making known how it all happened. The stories were so conflicting that the officer decided to pass the buck to his superiors.

DRUMHEAD COURT.

By this time practically everybody in town was on hand to look after the interests of law and justice. Recorder Charles H. Perry was presently located at the home of a neighbor, and, though deeply engrossed in Christmas festivities, was obliged to convene a sort of drumhead court-martial upon the spot. The step was considered necessary because of the many mysterious shootings which have occurred on the mountain trail lately, and of the tense excitement of the citizenry, some of whom showed rather a tendency to execute summary sentence upon Johnstone.

Under the spreading branches of a gigantic Christmas tree decked out in brave tinsel and candles but half-consumed, the recorder called his court, one of the deputy marshals being hastily drafted to serve as clerk and bailiff. The audience consisted of pretty much everybody in Sierra Madre, and included a number of women high in the ranks of Los Angeles's upper ten—who hung upon the testimony with all the avidity of a Baldwin will case auditor.

Flat contradictions were the order of the day, or night. The boys were given a hearing first, their stories of the "holdup" being essentially identical. According to their account, they had gone to the summit of the mountain and were returning toward the foot at about nightfall when they met Johnstone and his party. A little farther on, they said, one of them lost a handful of small change from his pocket. He did not miss it until they had proceeded some distance but, its absence being discovered, they all returned along the path to hunt for it.

"We were still a-lookin' for it, judge," said one of the boys, none of whom is over 14 years of age, "when here come that man again. We were all kind of stooped over hunting in the dust, because it was nearly dark, when they came around the corner just above us. The feller stopped the people that was with him an' came down to where we were an' pulled a gun out of his hind pocket that was bigger'n that, judge. He stuck it under our noses and said we was to line up along the wall and be quiet. We were awful scared, judge, and so we did it. He stood there with the gun pointin' at us till they had all got past and then he stuck it back in his pocket and hiked along after 'em. An' then we beat it, judge, you bet."

Asked for his side of the story, Johnstone gave it in few words. He declared that at the time of the first encounter the boys had made some impudent and insulting remarks to the girls in his company, as the two parties were passing on the trail. In later exhibiting the revolver, he said that he had no intention of doing more than to give the youngsters a deserved scare, and to protect his companions from possible further embarrassment.

The recorder, still imbued with the holiday spirit of generosity, gave Johnstone the benefit of the doubt and released him on his own recognizance, setting the preliminary hearing of the case for today. The revolver, found to be fully loaded, was confiscated and filed as Exhibit A for the prosecution.

Johnstone's punishment may possibly be made more severe than it might otherwise be by reason of the determination of the Sierra Madre authorities to break up the habit people seem to be cultivating of carrying deadly weapons about with them on the trail and firing them recklessly into the valley. A number of houses in Sierra Madre are bullet-scarred. Only lately a sleeping child narrowly escaped death from a slug which passed through the window and buried itself in the pillow.

FOUR CHINESE MUST GO.

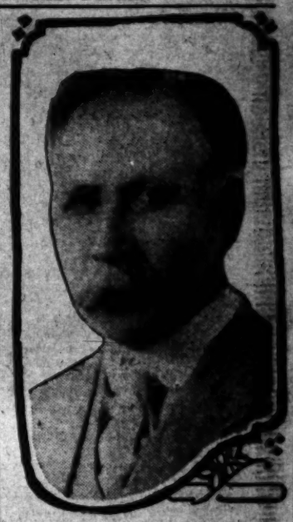
Orders for the deportation of four Chinese were issued by United States Commissioner Van Dyke yesterday. Among the contrabands is Jo Jong Chong. Jo served a number of years in the penitentiary for murder. He was pardoned with the agreement that he should become an exile from America. He failed to keep his promise and the authorities took him in custody and will send him to his native land.

YEAR FOR A DRAWBRIDGE.

The Southern Pacific has been given a year by the government in which to establish a drawbridge across the channel leading into the west basin of the harbor, according to information received by United States Engineer Leeds yesterday.

TO PRACTICE LAW.

Hugh Craney, Robert T. Linney, M. O. Woolverton and Reuben T. Covey, Jr., were admitted to the right to practice law in this State by the District Court of Appeals yesterday.



Jacob G. Hanst.

MASONS TO BURY HIM.

Services of Hanst, Killed By Locomotive While Driving His Automobile, to Be Conducted Tomorrow.

The funeral of Jacob G. Hanst, the well-known oil expert, who was killed near Pomona Monday afternoon when his automobile was struck by a Southern Pacific engine, will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Scottish Rite Cathedral, South Hope street. Interment will be in Inglewood. He was 53 years old.

Hanst had been field superintendent of the Amalgamated Oil Company for seven years. For twenty-five years he had been a resident of Los Angeles, and during the entire period was identified with oil land projects. His entire life was passed in the oil business. When a young man in Pennsylvania he began work in the eastern oil fields and then realizing that a greater field would open up in California he crossed the continent and became identified with Southern California interests.

In addition to his affiliation with the Amalgamated Oil Company he had at different times been employed by other companies in investigating their properties. At the time of his death he did not own interests in any oil companies or projects, but devoted his entire time to practical work in connection with the development of the fields. He leaves his family in excellent circumstances.

The arrangements whereby Hanst's funeral is to be held tomorrow afternoon in the Scottish Rite Cathedral were completed yesterday afternoon. Hanst stood very high in Masonry. According to Scottish Rite custom the funeral would be held at midnight, but the Blue Lodge will have charge, hence the daylight hour.

Mrs. Hanst notified friends of the accident Monday night and they went to Pomona and took charge of the body, bringing it in yesterday afternoon. He leaves, beside the widow a daughter, Gladys.

Good Roads.

LINK TOGETHER FINE HIGHWAYS

SUPERVISORS PLAN EXTENSIVE VALLEY BOULEVARD.

Completion Will Give Continuous Stretch of Smooth Paving to Magnificent Suburban Tract in San Fernando Valley Which Is Subdivided for Benefit of Homeseekers.

Approximately fifteen miles more of good roads were assured for this county yesterday when the Board of Supervisors acted favorably on a proposition to connect the improved road which leads to Lankershim with the boulevards which have been established by the Los Angeles Suburban Homes Company in the San Fernando Valley.

That company has let contracts for building fourteen miles of the finest boulevards which can be established. They are to end one and a half miles from the terminus of the Lankershim branch of the system which is now in the progress of construction.

The intervening stretch is a poor highway in bad weather and residents of Lankershim hit on the idea of having it improved. The adjoining property owners have donated all of the land necessary, and the county is asked to bear the expense of paving it.

Supervisor Eldridge moved to proceed to improve it as soon as the deeds were placed in the hands of the county officials. The other Supervisors favored less haste, although they viewed the idea with favor. A committee, with Supervisor Pridham as chairman, was appointed to go over the proposition and devise ways and means for proceeding.

The real estate company has just received the finest automobile by which was ever constructed in the country. The county officials will be given a joy ride in this today and will spend considerable time in visiting the road improvements in the San Fernando Valley.

The owners of the vast subdivision in the valley yesterday informed the Supervisors that they will give roads which cost $250,000 and a $21,000 bridge to the county.

They have undertaken to establish a boulevard system on a scale never projected before by a private concern. The highways are to be divided into double boulevards, each thirty feet wide, one side being laid in concrete and the other with macadam paving. One-half of the roadway will be given to the county. The other will be reserved for the exclusive use of automobiles. The main thoroughfares will cost half a million.

AGE NO BARRIER HERE.

The marriage license clerks were rushed yesterday. Nearly eighty persons were licensed to wed. Among others were James M. Wyatt, aged 65, and Sarah A. Garmon, aged 64. They are Dunkers and reside at Lordsburg. An interesting incident connected with the securing of the license was that Mr. Loudenslager, who issued the papers, was well acquainted with the bride in Indiana, although they had drifted apart years ago. Both of the parties had been married before. Wyatt is a ranchman and has resided many years

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

After a long joint session held yesterday afternoon the City Council and the Charter Revision Committee finally adopted the text of the proposed new charter, and it will be published within two days.

The Council decided on immediate action against the billboard barons yesterday, and will pass a new ordinance at once, limiting height to six feet.

City Clerk Lelande will retire today, and L. A. Handley will step into his shoes.

The charge of receiving stolen goods made against Attorney Fred Thompson and his wife was dismissed by Police Judge Chambers yesterday. This will have no effect upon the Federal prosecution for alleged embezzlement.

In the insanity case of Charles Bristol, a resident of Arizona, Judge Bordwell held yesterday that California was not charged with the care and expense of looking after the unfortunates of other States.

James Grucci, a unionite striker, who assaulted Pietro Ferro, a free workman employed at the Advance Machine Company, was given three months in the County Jail, the limit of the law, in Judge Davis's court, yesterday.

B. A. Byrne pleaded guilty to the charge of exhibiting the Jeffries-Johnson moving picture films at Arcadia, last August, and was released on one year's probation. The trial of Talbott, his partner, will take place January 23.

At the City Hall.

CHARTER TEXT IS ADOPTED.

COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE COME TO A DECISION.

Warm Debates and a Radical Change—Council Gets Grip on Aqueduct and Water Board—Statement of Three Dissenters—Billboard Men Anger Council.

The Charter Revision Committee met with the City Council at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon for a final hearing on the proposed charter amendments.

It proved largely to be a long contest, on the part of Councilmen Andrews, Betkouski, Gregory, Stewart and Whitton, to get the whip-hand of the Board of Public Works and the Water Board, and they carried their point. The submitted section extended the same power to the two boards in question, as to the City Council, giving them final judgment in passing claims over the head of the Auditor, but that part of the section was cut out, so that, in case of a dispute between the Auditor and either of the boards, the Council will become the arbiter.

After this and some other trivial amendments had been made, the proposed charter was adopted as a whole for submission to a vote of the people. The time for the election will not be set until after the proposed charter has been published for twenty days, and the election will be held forty days thereafter. It will be published not later than Friday morning.

The plan adopted is to submit the charter in the form of fifteen amendments, each containing a group of sections, so arranged that the defeat of one will not affect the efficiency of the others. A short section was added, granting to the Council the power to offer rewards for the apprehension and punishment of criminals who commit a felony.

Near the close of the session, yesterday afternoon, Messrs. Gregory, Stewart and Washburn submitted a statement, setting forth that they could not intelligently consider and approve amendments embodying 48,000 words in a week's time, and, inasmuch as they involve fundamental changes in the plan of city government, they deemed the time allowed entirely inadequate. It further set forth that some of the amendments seem meritorious and some otherwise; that the committee itself is not entirely agreed; that, if the charter so adopted is faulty, it would probably be four years before it could be corrected; that the text of the charter should first receive the full approval of the Revision Committee, then be submitted to the Council, the heads of departments, to civic bodies, and then be finally approved by the Council for submission to the people; that such deliberation, not having been exercised, it would be best to continue the consideration, either under the present committee or a new one, to make its report not later than January 1, 1912, and the final conclusions to be submitted to the Legislature of 1913.

The three members signing this statement voted against adopting the work of the committee as a whole.

OVERSHOT THE MARK.

The members of the City Council The members of the City Council were mad all through, yesterday morning, at the apparent contemptuous attitude of the billboard men towards the city lawmakers. Complaint was presented to the Council that "double-deck" billboards are being erected all over the city, making their total height twenty feet, in return for the desire of the Council to defer to the wishes of the billboard men, and give them a chance to comply with the new ordinance.

The old ordinance permitted the erection of boards ten feet high, and the new one, passed last fall, reduced the legal height to six feet. It was provided that the new ordinance should not be enforced, so far as the maintainance of old boards is concerned, until September, 1911. This was done in response to the plea of the billposters that the year's supply of show "paper" is always printed in advance, and thus the old supply could be used up, and the later printings could be made to comply with the new ordinance without loss.

The ordinance was no sooner passed, repealing the former one at the same session, than the billboard men secured an injunction and took the matter into the courts, leaving the city without any effective regulation of the height of billboards. They immediately took advantage of the situation they had themselves created, and began making the boards twenty feet high.

This information angered the Councilmen, and they unanimously voted to submit the matter to the Legislation Committee and the City Attorney, to prepare an amendment to the ordinance, making its provisions as to the six-foot height immediately effective.

FIRE ESCAPE TALK.

BETKOUSKY COMES BACK.

The Council has had many seances with objectors to the fire escape ordinance, but the most persistent one has been T. Wiesendanger. He was apparently the only one present yesterday when the Council heard the report of the Legislation Committee, recommending that his petition be filed and that no change be made in the fire escape ordinance.

He asked to be heard and was accorded the privilege, and among other things complained against the requirement that wire-glass be placed in windows fronting fire escapes. As he closed, he intimated that Councilman Betkousky is in the glass business, and hence must be interested in the enforcement of that provision. The result was that Wiesendanger drew a hot fire from the Councilman, who said he was not and never had been in the glass business.

"If there is any man in this town," said Betkousky, "who disobeys the ordinances, it is Mr. Wiesendanger. He builds all kinds of fire traps, and everybody in the city knows it; he buys up all the old, second-hand material he can find, and builds his houses up with all kinds of junk. We only get complaints from builders of fire-traps—little joy places, all over the town—the complaints only come from the builders of cheap, rattletrap houses."

After more debate, it was decided to once more take up the ordinance in committee of the whole, before deciding that no change will be made.

LELANDE OUT TODAY.

HANDLEY WILL SUCCEED HIM.

Harry Lelande will tender his resignation as City Clerk, to the City Council this afternoon at a special session of that body, and according to a "straw" vote taken by the latter yesterday, his successor will be L. A. Handley. George B. Anderson got the votes of Gregory, Washburn, Stewart and Williams, but it is likely that the place will go to Handley by a unanimous vote today. The City Auditor was authorized to make an investigation of the offices of the Clerk, and $30 was appropriated to cover the expense.

At the Courthouse.

STIFF SENTENCE GIVEN LABORITE.

PICKET ASSAULTED NON-UNION IRONWORKER.

Court Remarks That Defendant Should Have Thought of Consequences Before Committing Dastardly Attack Upon an Inoffensive Employee.

James Grucci, employed by the ironworkers union as a picket at the works of the Advance Machine Company, Compton avenue and Twenty-ninth street, was given the limit of the law, by Judge Davis, yesterday, on a plea of guilty to the charge of assault.

Grucci was sent to the County Jail for three months, in spite of the talk of his attorney asking that mercy be extended the accused on account of his family.

In passing sentence, the court reminded the laborite defendant that the evidence would have justified a charge of a much more serious nature, and he told Grucci that he should have thought of his wife and children before he made the dastardly attack upon one of the non-union men.

The complaining witness in the case was Pietro Ferro. Grucci, with three others acted as pickets by the order of the union, and the fight grew out of the refusal of Ferro and two other non-union workers to quit work and join the strikers.

Ferro said on the stand that he told Grucci that he had a family to support and he proposed to look out for them, whereupon Grucci whipped out an open knife and cut him on the right forearm, following this with another stab in the back, as the man fell to the ground after the first cut.

Grucci, Eckstrom and Anderson, strikers at the plant of the Advance Machine Shop, had taken up their posts across the street from the shop. As the workmen would emerge from their labor, they would try to induce them to quit work. Ferro was one of a trio with whom they argued, and the talk ended in the stabbing affray.

Testimony was given showing that Grucci had frequently passed by the windows of the office at the works and threatening to get even with his old employers who insisted upon protecting the men who desired to be free to choose their employment.

ONE DECISION.

MAY APPEAL CASES.

The attorneys in charge of the defense in the informations filed against B. A. Byrne and Raymond C. Talbott, who are charged with criminal conspiracy, in that they exhibited films of the Jeffries-Jackson fight pictures at Arcadia, August, last, have concluded to try the issue that will be appealed to the highest court, later on.

The question whether the exhibition of a fight picture is against good morals has never been tested in any court so far as the records show, and the promoters of the game in California, propose taking a little time to see how some of the cases pending in the east come out before taking definite action as to a plea of guilty or an action to secure the liberty of the accused by a writ of habeas corpus.

But one of the cases was disposed of by Judge Davis yesterday, that of Byrne, who pleaded guilty to the charge, and was allowed to go on probation for one year. The usual conditions were imposed upon Byrne, who promised to faithfully abide by the provisions of the suspension of judgment.

His partner in the enterprise, Raymond C. Talbot, pleaded not guilty, and his trial was set for January 23. In the meantime his counsel will make up their minds what shall be done in the matter. If the courts anywhere have ruled that the exhibition of the fight pictures is subversive to good morals, Talbott will come into court and plead guilty.

If no decision is reached, meanwhile, the case will be fought along the lines of habeas corpus, for there is no dispute as to the facts, both men acknowledging that they exhibited the films. It is an issue of law merely that will be fought out to the courts of last resort by the big syndicate backing the picture business.

SOUND DOCTRINE.

THIS STATE IS NO ASYLUM.

In deciding the disposition of an insanity case, yesterday, Judge Bordwell laid down the doctrine that he would not favor making insane persons belonging to other States a charge on the people of California. The occasion for the ruling arose when Charles Bristol, aged 22, was arraigned on an insanity charge. The unfortunate man is the son of James C. Bristol of Corrville, Ariz., and has been in this State but a few days. He was sent here, as the testimony showed, to be benefited by the climate. His mental condition became rapidly worse, and it was necessary that some action be taken in his case.

When it was shown that Bristol was a resident of Arizona, Judge Bordwell refused to make an order committing Bristol to Patton, declaring that while it was the duty of the taxpayers of California to care for their own unfortunates, it was not their duty to extend their charity to people who belonged in other jurisdictions.

The court held that it is a sufficiently heavy expense now to look out for the interests of the poor and insane who belong here, without assuming anything additional in the way of caring for those who belong elsewhere.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

DAMAGE ACTION. Judge McCormick and a jury are trying the action brought by C. A. C. Williams against the Pomona Valley Hospital Association, for damages of $5,356.35, for injuries alleged to have been received November 21, 1909, while the plaintiff was a patient at the hospital. It is alleged that Williams was operated on for appendicitis, and that by means of hot water bags being placed upon his limbs, his feet were scalded and burned so that he was incapacitated from work for weeks.

CRIMINAL MATTERS. In Judge Davis's court, yesterday, the second trial of Pietro Carbonne, charged with the killing of John Stasi, concerning which a jury disagreed, was reset for March 1.

Otto Wunderlich, charged with making an assault with a deadly weapon, pleaded not guilty, and his hearing was fixed for February 3.

TO REMOVE ADMINISTRATRIX. The matter of removing Jessie W. Taylor, as co-administratrix of the estate of her mother, Zerelda Wheeler, was disposed of in Judge Bordwell's court yesterday. The demurrer to the petition was dismissed, and the defendant given ten days to reply. Mrs. Taylor is now acting as administratrix with W. A. Snedeker, guardian of the children of Helen O. Morris. It is alleged that Mrs. Taylor has been dissipating the estate of her mother to the loss of her nieces. The application for the appointment of Frank M. Kelsey, to act with Snedeker, is to be heard January 11.

MRS. SCANLON REMOVED. Judge Bordwell yesterday made an order removing Anna M. Scanlon, as co-administrator with Milton K. Young of the estate of Elisabeth Ross, her sister. The evidence heard Saturday established the contention of the heirs that the best interests of the estate would be subserved by the removal of Mrs. Scanlon.

INCORPORATIONS. Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday by The People's Church, incorporators, R. E. Webb, F. O. Molin, E. A. Henderson, E. S. Webb and J. A. St. Clair; The Rector, Warden and Vestrymen of St. Luke's Parish, Monrovia, incorporators Henry Quimby, Kenneth Carter, James V. Petrie, Charles J. Dixon, Cyril G. Marsets, Robert M. Fleming and L. D. Remington; Arroyo Seco Chamber of Commerce, incorporators L. A. Phillips, W. M. Miller, Guy Eddie, A. L. Easton, H. W. Chapman, F. G. Teachout, A. J. Renner, J. S. Weber, J. L. Smith, N. D. Craigmile and R. H. Lindsey.

PUT OFF THE CARS. An action was brought in the Superior Court yesterday by E. O. Baker against the Los Angeles Pacific Railway, for $30,000 damages alleged to be due on account of being put off a car of the company, August 28, 1910. It is alleged that on that date the plaintiff, while making her way back to Sawtelle, fell in a cattle-guard maintained by the defendants, and was seriously injured.

ACCOUNTING WANTED. Joseph Pauley, who says he was a partner with Mildred Dumiller, in the stock business, has petitioned the court for an accounting of the partnership and a dissolution. He alleges that he put his money into the enterprise, and that the defendant will not allow him access to the books or give any information in regard to the business.

ALL TO FAMILY. The will of Sarah B. Marchant, who died at Long Beach December 12, was filed for probate yesterday. It disposes of an estate of about $20,000. Among the small bequests are $250 to the Woman's Baptist Home Mission Society of Illinois, and the same amount to the Woman's Baptist Foreign Mission Society of the West, Chicago. One-third of the remainder goes to Ira L. Marchant of Santa Ana, and the remaining two-thirds to the daughter of the testator, Grace Dean Estherbrook of Long Beach.

Five Speeders Fined.

L. M. Woolwine, C. L. Gafton, T. M. Trapp, F. J. Matheson, and Frank Westall paid $25 each in Police Court yesterday morning for exceeding the speed limit in their automobiles.

The Inferior Courts.

RELEASED FROM POLICE CUSTODY.

FEDERAL CHARGE COVERS THE SAME GROUNDS.

Attorney and Wife Charged With Receiving Large Amount of Money Stolen From Postoffice are Released From Prosecution in State Courts.

Because the Federal authorities showed no inclination to proceed with the preliminary examination of Fred and Etta Thompson, charged in the State courts with receiving stolen property, Police Judge Chambers yesterday morning dismissed the cases against them.

An indictment was returned against the Thompsons by a Federal grand jury some time ago and the government will prosecute them in the Federal courts.

Embezzlement of several thousand dollars of government funds is charged against the Thompsons in the Federal indictment and action was taken against the pair in the State court for receiving stolen property because, it was declared, the money embezzled by Orlando F. Altorre was accepted by the Thompsons after they had learned it had been stolen from the postoffice.

Altorre, who confessed to the postoffice inspectors that he had stolen the $15,000 which Thompson and his wife are now charged with having embezzled, furnished much of the evidence against the attorney and his wife. He declared that he placed the money in two glass fruit jars and then sealed them up with cement in his home. Thompson was engaged to defend him in his trial for the theft of the money. Altorre declared he confessed to Thompson and that the lawyer then turned about and took the money from its hiding place in Altorre's home.

The case in the Police Court has been pending for five months and has been continued from time to time, either at the request of Thompson's counsel or on motion of the District Attorney.

"COULDN'T HELP IT."

OLD-TIMER BACK AGAIN.

Released from the City Jail last week after having served ninety days for petty larceny, G. M. Miller appeared before Police Judge Chambers yesterday afternoon and was held under $1500 bond for trial on two charges of burglary.

Miller was seen coming out of an East Fifth-street rooming-house last Friday by Detective Ritch. The detective became suspicious, took Miller by the arm and asked him what he had been doing.

"Oh, not much, Mr. Ritch," Miller said. "I just went through a couple of rooms up here, but didn't have very good luck."

Miller then led the detective back into the house and showed what rooms he had been in and what he had secured. Then, having plenty of time on his hands, he related his adventures of the few days previous, and since the time he was released from the City Jail. The detective, making notes, summed up his report in saying twelve rooms in different parts of the city had been entered by Miller.

While in the City Jail Miller was a trusty. He resumed his depredations the day he was released.

"I couldn't help it," was his only excuse.

WOMAN HELD.

PASSED FICTITIOUS CHECKS.

Mrs Annie Oster, who confessed to the detectives that she passed fictitious checks to get more spending money, was arraigned before Police Judge Rose yesterday morning. She will be given a preliminary examination January 7.

According to her confession, the woman had passed checks between September 17 and December 24 totaling about $210. She said the first attempt she made was consummated so easily that she could not withstand the temptation to continue. When arrested she had thirteen checks in her possession and had just passed one in a store in Pico Heights. She is 34 years old and has three small children.

HERE FOR AVIATION.

BUT "GAS" EXPERT TO GO.

The aviation meet has not proved to be an attraction for the upper stratum alone, for of the great number of vagrants in the Police Court yesterday morning, the one who did not say he came to see the flyers was the exception and attracted attention.

Frank Garcia came down from Fresno to lend such assistance as he could to the bird men to make the meet a success, but Police Judge Rose was unable

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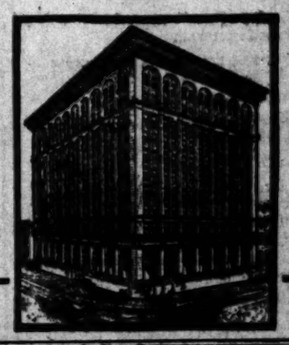

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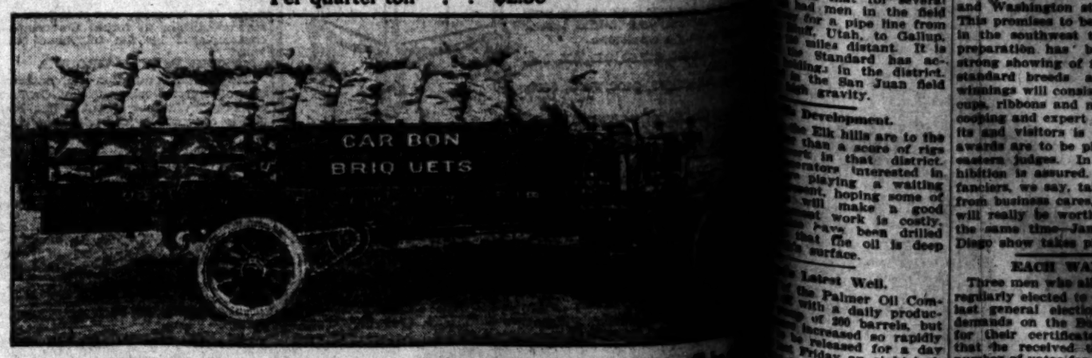

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...l News of Interest From Oil Fields.

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TO ITS ACREAGE.

...OF THE GUARANTY.

...acquisition by the Guar...mpany of the St. Elmo sixty ...property, brings its hold... lands up to 1220 acres. The ...he four producing wells on ...e Guaranty management ...ut at once. Director Coz ...e will triple their produc... the next thirty days.

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...who was superin... Murphy Oil Company ...a number of years, ...active work and is ...on his ranch near ...started in the oil ...City, Pa.

...Loss By Fire.

...the Rock Oil ...the Midway field ...will burning. The ...about 300 barrels a ...of a light gravity ...barrel, the daily ...will have to be

FOR ROAD DIS...

Bids to Be Asked ... Million Dollars ... pervisors Busy ...

The Board of ... voted to advertise ... bids on quantities ... proposed bonds ... taken upon the ... Highway Commissioners ...

The Supervisors ... small Dutch runabouts ... the inspectors who ... to travel over the ... prevent frequent ... be $125 each. The ... pany will allow the ... old Locomobile, ... Commissioners ... worn out.

At the request of ... the Supervisors ... specifications for ... the Valley road from ... to Foothill boulevard ... Park. Advertisements ... work will be made ... Preparatory to the ... will soon commence ... which of the two ... passed in the La ... Highway Commission ... mitted lengthy reports ... Supervisors. They ... route which they ... minuteness in order ... an attack in the ... begun shortly.

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POULTRY SHOWS N...

Commencing with J... continuing to 31, the ... exhibition of the breede... will take place at Chut... and Washington streets. ... This promises to be the ... in the southwest this ... preparation has been ... strong showing of fine ... standard breeds and ... winnings will consist of ... cups, ribbons and many ... coupling and expert care ... its and visitors is assu... awards are to be placed ... eastern judges. In brie... hibition is assured. To ... fanciers, we say, take o... from business cares, and ... will really be worth wh... the same time. January ... Diego show takes place, ...

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...Midway Oil Com... the last carload ...and material to its ...soon be in shape ...is steadily-increas... Cat Canyon dis... recent consolida... Junior, the Pal... Paris oil companies ...Union, this inter... ...pending. Albert H. ...of the Santa Maria ...receiving inquiries ...many parties want... the remaining por... rancho can be ... The owners of it ...another acre for ..., by which time ...will all be proven

...Pipe Line.

...rumor to the ...Standard Oil Com... the San Juan oil ...that for several ...men in the field ...a pipe line from ...Utah, to Gallup, ...miles distant. It is ...Standard has ac... in the district. ...the San Juan field ...gravity.

...Development.

...hills are to the ...a score of rigs ...in that district. ...interested in ...starting a wailing ...hoping some of ...make a good ...work is costly. ...been drilled ...the oil is deep ...

...Well.

...Palmer Oil Com... a daily produc... 800 barrels, but ...soon so rapidly ...allowed for a day ...an eight-inch ...from No. 4 ...and the gas gauge ...The gas is now ...when the pressure ...the oil will begin to ...

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FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENT.

Bids to Be Asked on More Than Half Million Dollars Worth of Bonds—Supervisors Buy Autos.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday voted to advertise for thirty days for bids on $525,000 worth of highway improvement bonds. This action was taken upon the recommendation of the Highway Commission.

The Supervisors purchased three small Buick runabouts for the use of the inspectors who find it necessary to travel over the roads under improvement frequently. The cost will be $1175 each. The automobile company will allow the county $600 for the old Locomobile, which the Highway Commissioners recently discarded as worn out.

At the request of the commissions, the Supervisors yesterday adopted specifications for the improvement of the Valley road from the Whittier road to Foothill boulevard in La Manda Park. Advertisements for bids on the work will be made immediately.

Preparatory to the legal battle which will soon commence to determine which of the two roads shall be improved in the La Canada Valley, the Highway Commission yesterday submitted lengthy recommendation to the Supervisors. They have described the route which they have chosen with minuteness in order to be prepared for an attack in the courts, which will be begun shortly.

Prevention.

SMOOTH ONES AFTER THE COIN.

ALLEGED GAMBLERS OVERHEARD PLANNING FOR RUBE.

Display of Money Leads to Forming Acquaintance of Young Man With a Roll—Arrest Follows and Incriminating Evidence, It Is Asserted, Is Found in Grips.

Somebody was saved $2000 yesterday, although the detectives do not know who the person is, except that he was referred to as "the rube with the girl." The men who, it is said, intended to get the money are in the City Jail as suspects, and Detectives Hosick and Ziegler are going over the records in the identification bureau for the prisoners' appearance in Police Court this morning.

L. M. Hare and Frank Thompson were arrested on South Broadway after they had been overheard in a North Broadway hotel planning to relieve the "rube with the girl" from his cash.

Yesterday afternoon Detective Frank Carroll recognized Hare as a boyhood schoolmate back in Indianapolis.

"Hello, Hare," he said. "So you have at last come out to see me, have you?"

"Right you are, Carroll, old boy, and here's where the best detective and the best gambler in California meet."

Hare and Thompson when arrested looked like a pair of prosperous drummers. Collectively, they inventoried about $2000 worth of diamonds and jewelry. They sported umbrellas and fine traveling cases and grips.

Hosick and Ziegler spotted the men Monday and followed them. The latter engaged a room in a hotel on North Broadway, and the detectives took the room adjoining. Later, in the lobby of the hotel, the men saw the "rube" display a large roll of bills to the girl, whom he had come from San Francisco to take to the aviation meet.

In the room upstairs the detectives overheard that night the plans of the men. During the afternoon they had made the acquaintance of the "rube" and learned that he considered himself an adept at cards and dice and occasionally dabbled in racing. It looked like easy money with marked cards and loaded dice.

Yesterday afternoon, when the grips were searched, chemicals, pens, marked cards and dice were found.

TURNS ON GAS; DIES.

In Note Man States He Brought on Despondent State of Mind That Overcame Judgment.

W. A. Perry, 38 years old, rooming at No. 226 1-2 East First street, turned on the gas in his room and took his own life Monday night. His body was found early yesterday morning, when a chambermaid entered the room to perform her work. A queer note left by the man said he had committed suicide because of a "lie."

The note was addressed to his brother William, living in Watts, and reads: "Never lie, Willie. Lying will get anybody into trouble, no matter how good they have been. Just one little lie lost me my life."

Another note addressed to his mother was not opened by the coroner, who declared it was not necessary to do so to learn the cause of the man's death. It is not thought an inquest will be held.

POULTRY SHOWS NEXT WEEK.

Commencing with January 5 and continuing to 11, the annual poultry exhibition of the Breeders' Association will take place at Chutes Park, Main and Washington streets, Los Angeles. This promises to be the leading fixture in the southwest this season. Every preparation has been made for a strong showing of fine birds in all the standard breeds and varieties; the winnings will consist of cash, challenge cups, ribbons and many specials; good cooping and expert care of both exhibits and visitors is assured, and the awards are to be placed by competent eastern judges. In brief, a good exhibition is assured. To all poultry fanciers, we say, take off a few hours from business cares, and go see it. It will really be worth while. At about the same time—January 4-7—the San Diego show takes place.

EACH WANTS JOB.

Three men who allege that they were regularly elected to public office at the last general election yesterday made demands on the Board of Supervisors for their certificates. Each asserts that he received the second highest number of votes for the office for which he was a candidate and that he is entitled to a position because the district in which he resides is entitled to another officer of the class he designates. F. J. Oderkirk wants to be a constable in Cahuenga township, George W. Harryman claims he is a constable in San Jose township and Bernard Sues says that he should be recognized as a Justice of the Peace of Santa Monica township.

THREATENS FORMER WIFE.

A complaint charging E. A. Wilkins with assault with intent to commit murder was issued yesterday afternoon by Deputy District Attorney Hill. Wilkins is said to have threatened his former wife, now Mrs. Mollie Scharff, with a revolver. Mrs. Scharff said he snapped the trigger of a 45-caliber gun at her but that she thrust her finger in front of the trigger and prevented exploding of the gun. Mrs. Scharff lives at No. 905 Ines street.

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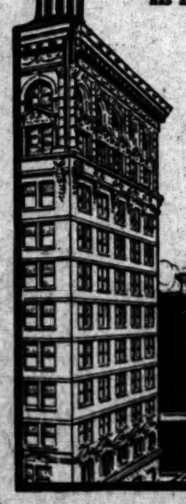

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PEN POINTS.

Ex-King Manuel is not the only man who is hard-up these holiday times.

A clock that would ring the alarm when prices fall would fill a long-felt want.

We always said that Hoxsey boy was bound to rise in the world.

Dock Cook is organizing an Ananias Club of his own. Go to it, Dock!

Battleships are going up. More to be added to the high cost of living.

The revolutionist in Honduras is the man who votes against the government, but cannot get his vote counted.

Do not think for a minute that Woodrow Wilson is making all this fuss in New Jersey over the election of a United States Senator.

Monte Carlo pudding is now served at some of the Los Angeles cafes. It looks like a gamble.

Booker T. Washington thinks the Pullman porters ought to have more wages. He has cinched the Pullman porter vote.

We should imagine Dr. Wiley, the food expert, who is about to marry, would be a hard man to cook for.

Quite a number of baseball teams are winning the pennant, about the base-burner stoves, back East.

John Bunyan is the name of a Los Angeles chauffeur. Wonder if the Pilgrim's Progress exceeds the speed limit?

The housewife who spends more at the grocer's than with the milliner, is the sort that makes a hit with the average man. He wants his eats.

Quite a number of men are returning the boxes of Christmas cigars purchased by their wives, and trading them in on a pipe or any old thing.

Jim Hill has not yet recovered from the shock caused by his reception of the news that his old partner, ex-Senator Clark, had planted $100,000 in a set of dishes.

The aviators at Dominguez Field are a great deal like the man getting up in the world. No one can tell how long they will stay up.

If the worst comes we can wear our Christmas neckties all the year around. The styles may change a bit, but that is a mere incident in the story of sartorial adornment.

Scientists aver that man can live to be one hundred years old if he knows how. But if the Democrats are to win right along who would care for it?

It is about time to take out your Christmas resolutions, dust 'em off, and give them a bit of exercise in front of the grand stand. You may need them next week.

The working time of the Washington department clerks has been increased thirty minutes, and the boys will now have some trouble getting out to the ball game before the fourth inning.

The beauties of Pasadena no doubt have their opinion of the taste of the senoritas who danced with the Japanese officers in the City of Mexico.

It is very discouraging to get up in the night trying to locate something in the dark, and to tramp on a holly wreath that some one has left lying on the floor.

Agitation for legislative reforms has aroused China, and the country is now full of orators who are eloquent on the subject of the right of the dear "pee-ple."

Our Democratic brethren are a bit previous. Here they are already picking out the members of the Ways and Means Committee of the next House, when the body does not meet for almost a year. A great deal can happen in the meantime.

"Sunny Jim" Sherman has not smiled since that appeal from his decision was sustained by the Senate. And yet Sherman was only carrying out the Blaine idea of counting a quorum. Is the Blaine plan so soon forgotten?

THE DANGER OF LOSING PANAMA CANAL EXPOSITION.

There is some danger that the manufacturers of San Francisco to the domination of the closed shop labor leaders, coupled with the desperate and continued efforts of the same element to reduce Los Angeles to a similar condition of vassalage, may result in Congress indorsing New Orleans instead of San Francisco as the site for holding the Panama Canal Exposition.

It will be said, and said with truthfulness, that an exposition, in the organization and conduct of which seventeen and one-half millions of dollars of State, city, and individually contributed money is to be expended, will, if the expenditure shall be directed by Tvietmoe, Gallagher and McCarthy, result in an orgie of graft, profligacy, and tyrannical exactions and rule, that will ruin the exposition and disgrace the State. It will be conceded by patriotic Californians themselves that it will be better for California to let the exposition go to New Orleans, rather than unite the conditions of disaster that would precede and accompany it, if conducted by the irresponsible, law-defying, dynamiting, murder-inciting, corpse-defacing closed shop labor union leaders of California.

IS HISTORY A TUTOR?

"History," says Macaulay, "is philosophy teaching by example." In saying this the brilliant British essayist sacrificed truth to epigram. Even if history were always a truthful recital of facts—as it often is not—the facts would not impart an accurate lesson for our guidance unless we could also know and comprehend the motives of the men under whose guidance the facts were created, unless we could discern the deus ex machina.

History has really taught little of value to the world. Gibbon's Roman Empire is still a text-book with scholars. Gibbon stated with confidence as an infallible deduction from his historical researches that the era of conquerors was at an end, yet Gibbon had rested in his early grave but a few years when Europe crouched at the feet of Napoleon. Napoleon, from his prison in St. Helena, predicted that in fifty years Europe would be either republican or Cossack, but before the alloted period had expired the wrangling Germanic states were solidified by the genius of Bismarck into a mighty, free and prosperous empire, while France had vibrated between Bourbonism, Bonapartism, Communism, and the match peddling, salt and porcelain-monopolizing, theater-subsidizing republic which now exists there. Italy, with occasional political seismic disturbances, overthrew the temporal power of His Holiness the Pope, but otherwise remains politically much as she was before Waterloo changed the fate of Europe, while Great Britain passed peacefully through a dynasty of three sovereigns, and is only now in the throes of a peaceful revolution for which history furnishes no precedent.

The truth is that history, in so far as it purports to disclose the motives of rulers and of peoples in the past, is a mass of fictions and conjectures, and as a guide for the future it is comparatively valueless. How could it be otherwise? What lessons in peaceful development can an age without railroads, or telegraphs, or electric light and power, or telephones or complex machinery, give, in industrial life, to an age which has harnessed the cataract and the thunder cloud, and made working slaves of water, earth and air? What lessons in war can an age of bows, culverins, moats, and drawbridges, of armies encased in steel and galleys propelled by oars, give to an age of ironclads, and repeating rifles, and dynamite guns, one discharge of which from a point five miles away would have tumbled the strongest fortification of Richard Coeur de Lion in ashes above the bodies of a thousand armored crusaders?

Coming down to a time within the memory of men still living, we find the statesmanship of Washington, and Jefferson, and Clay, and Webster, and Lincoln, disregarded and sometimes derided by many of the political leaders of the present generation, who have never read the history of their own country, and would accept no lessons from it if they had read it.

Yet the laws of God's universe change not. The earth circles around the same orbit that it followed at the dawn of creation. But as its atmosphere in the temperate zones varies in midwinter from its atmosphere in midsummer, so the purposes and passions and thoughts and motives of men vary with each generation.

"Men change with manners, manners change with times,
Tenets with books and principles with climes."

Yet History has one use and imparts one great lesson. In the language of Froude, "It is a voice forever sounding across the centuries the laws of right and wrong. The moral law is written upon the tablets of eternity. For every false word or unrighteous deed, for cruelty and oppression, for lust or vanity, the price has to be paid at last, not always by the chief offenders, but paid by some one. Injustice and falsehood may be long-lived, but doomsday comes to them at last in terrible ways. Justice and truth alone endure and live."

LO AS A REAL ESTATE SHARP.

The noble savage in South Dakota has assimilated promptly a large dose of civilization. Lamro was a town of 2000 inhabitants, built on Indian land by Indians for the use of white men. The Indians opened business houses and real estate offices, and having a majority of all the voters, elected themselves to the county offices. This was done while the railroad, which was surveyed to pass through Lamro, was twenty miles away.

Then the survey line was changed, and the railroad made a detour so as to put Lamro three miles away from the rails. Thereupon some white man surveyed the town of Winner which they located on the new line, and Winner was rapidly built. Then an election was held to change the county seat from Lamro to Winner and Winner won. The houses and stores and courthouse of Lamro were hauled over to Winner, and then it was discovered that the noble reds had sold the last lot of their Lamro holdings some time before, had secured options on a large quantity of Winner lots, and had then voted to move the county seat to Winner to which new town they, as county officers, removed their lares and penates. As a real estate operator, Mr. Lo is, in Dakota, a shining success.

THE ADVERTISING AGE.

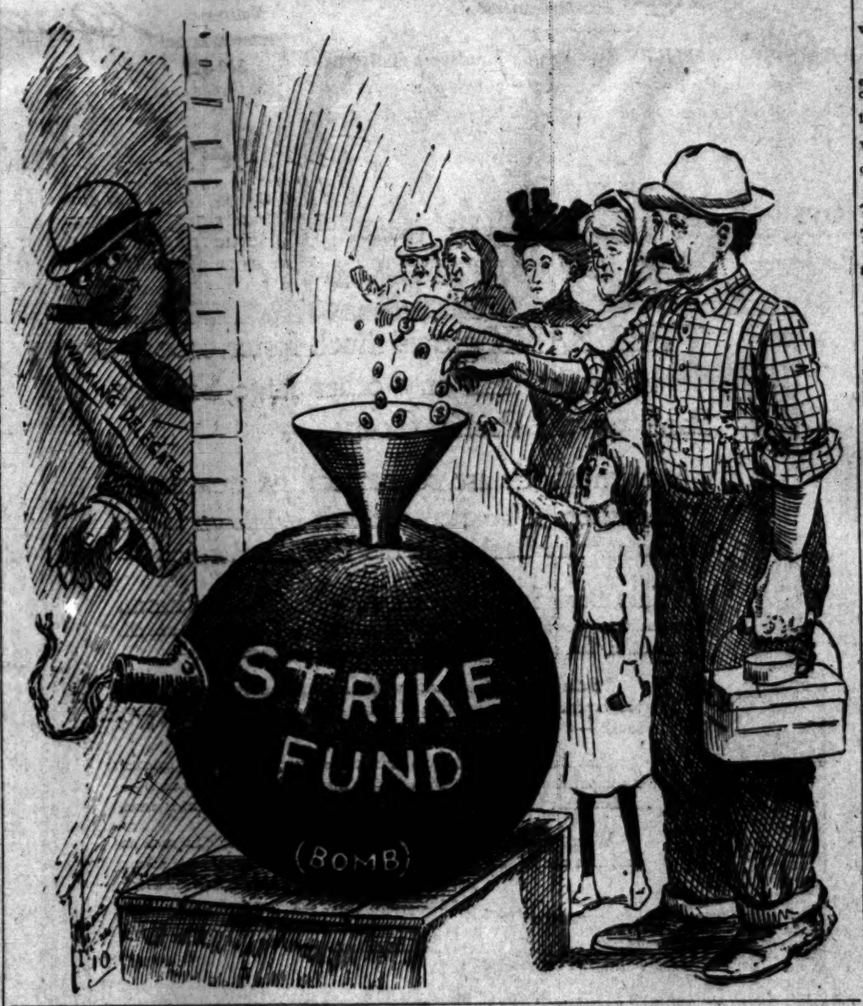
It has always been a favorite diversion of scholars and scientists to divide the epochs of time into so many specific ages: the dark ages, the renaissance, the revolutionary era, the age of steel, of aluminum, of steam, of electricity, and so on all down the line. If the twentieth century could be designated by any special title, we should be inclined to call it essentially the age of the advertisement. Some supercilious dandies and a few old-fashioned classicists profess to regard advertising as an undignified proceeding, all right for merchants and storekeepers, but not quite "au fait" for professional men. And yet the high-brow, the scientist, the society man, the doctor and the lawyer are as dependent for their success in life on the advertising prestige won through the daily press, as are the merchant, the storekeeper and the showman. In fact our whole system of economics has become one of universal advertising.

Does the successful writer, who believes he is living on the fruits of his own genius alone, realize that if it were not for the money brought in by the advertising pages of the magazine and newspaper there would be no market at all for his intellectual wares? Soap men and breakfast food makers and the mail order businesses are the best patrons of the short story writer. Would any doctor or lawyer be able to charge the enormous fees that the specialist can command if his professional achievements had not been recorded in the columns of the daily press? Could the scientist or reformer get an opportunity for airing his pet theories were the magazines deprived of their advertising income? Is there any society man however exclusive who does not find pleasure at seeing himself in print? Why, the very men who treat the paid-for advertisement with scorn owe their proud distinction to the free and gratuitious notice of the ubiquitous reporter.

All the greatest men in the world were advertisers. No doubt Shakespeare plastered the walls of the old Globe Theater with gorgeous placards setting forth the excellencies of his dramatic bill of fare in sonorous Elizabethan phrase. Caesar's Gallic War—a colossal triumph of historic advertising—helped him to the dictatorship of Rome. A king on his throne is nothing more than a highly priced advertisement of national pride. Every artistic building advertises the city which erected it; every religious temple attracts attention to the belief it stands for; the old missions of California bring crowds of tourists every winter; the Bible itself has advertised Christianity in every quarter of the globe. Let no one call advertising a delusion.

A man up in Washington wants to purchase 5000 cats. If he will take a Redondo car and get off at Ninety-first street he can secure more than that number and no questions will be asked.

Where the Money Goes.



THE "MIDWINTER" BEAUTY.

For more than thirty years The Times has been a golden asset of the thrice golden Southwest. Its Midwinter edition, soon to appear, will be the flower of this rounded period of journalistic enterprise and integrity. It will be a supreme magnet of publicity, exerting a compelling attraction wherever the English language is read.

To tell the story of a country in words which will picture its forms to the mind, and which will make the appeal of their qualities to the heart, is the genius of art. If the orb of a great intellect comprehended innumerable facts, and if such a mentality could express itself in terms of clarity and charm, the work of such a man in telling the story of this sunny Southland of California could not even then tally the splendid number which The Times is about to issue. Just as an organization is always greater than any one member of the body, so the Midwinter Number of The Times is vastly greater than the effort of any one superior writer could possibly be. It is the collaboration of a large staff of superior writers who have worked under intelligent direction toward the one end of setting forth the glory of the worth of Los Angeles and the cities which surround it.

Empire building in its scope, this exceptional effort in journalism will undertake to relate all the wonders of a wonderful country in a manner fit to challenge the attention of the world. From the pens of the most graphic writers available in California The Times has secured for this number articles descriptive of every source of wealth and comfort which combine in making this section the richest as well as the most lovely upon the green earth.

Every man, woman and child in California is an immigration agent. Each has friends in the East who are eager to learn something of this bright land where thousands and tens of thousands have found money, health and happiness. For any one person to undertake by word of mouth or by letter to give to those who are elsewhere an adequate conception of Los Angeles and of California is quite impossible. Though a man should write eight hours every day for a year, he would still find this broad subject hardly approached. Yet any man may tell the whole story of Southern California, without effort to himself, by spending 10 cents for a copy of this remarkable edition of The Times.

No matter in what feature of the country and its development persons elsewhere might be most interested, they will find the information they seek in The Times Midwinter Number. Its six parts treat the expansion of Los Angeles, the methods of irrigation and their proven worth, the resorts of the southern portion of the State, and the points of interests which tourists and colonists annually visit by the hundreds of thousands, the States, towns and regions of the entire Southwest, and the opportunities of investments in hundreds of directions, with stories of the fortunes made in Los Angeles real estate, in California oil, and in the many branches of business which are always ready for the touch of the right person. Finally, another part will offer brilliant descriptions of the climate, flowers and charms of Los Angeles and, for that matter, of all of California and the Southwest.

Artists and writers of repute have been employed for months in the preparation of this great Midwinter Times, and contributions have been received from many persons of note who are experts on the subjects they have treated. For instance, Dr. Robert J. Burdette has written an article on the baby crop in California and its prospects. Dr. Burdette is in his happiest vein in this delightful subject. Henry E. Huntington will present a striking expression concerning the street railroad and public utilities situation in Los Angeles. Secretary Ballinger has written on the work of the Reclamation Service in the Southwest, which will give a comprehensive idea of this great and practical branch of the government's assistance in the redemption and development of many thousands of acres of rich land, which, without the government's loans and energy, would remain a desolate wilderness. Lillian Russell contributes a spicy article explaining the lure which the Southland of California has always possessed for her. Something of her own vivacious spirit has entered the charm of this discussion, and those who read it will more readily comprehend how it is that one who has ever known the fragrant breath of this flower land must hear its call forevermore. Closely associated with this article, in its color and interest, is a contribution from Hector Alliot in which he presents an inviting picture of the rich pleasures which the out-of-door life in the Southland holds for those who have ever spent a week of such delicious freedom.

The Times has printed many notable numbers in its long career of successes, but none which will exceed in value and charm that which will appear sometime next month.

CHICAGO'S FIREMEN.

There, where the blaze is fiercest,
Under the crumbling wall,
Where the frozen nozzle sputters,
And the toppling turrets fall,
Where the fire fiends belch their fury
Into the stinging cold,
And the twisting steel-work buckles,
Glowing like molten gold;
Count me the toll of heroes,
Blocking the demon's way,
The men forgotten tomorrow,
Living and dying today.

Chief or captain or pipeman,
Standing each to his task,
Answering with simple courage,
Whatever the hour may ask,
Swift to the sudden summons,
Staunch in the blistering heat,
Till the cluster of weeping women
Throngs in the sluttered street:
Count me the toll of heroes,
The simple men and strong,
Whom men forget era day is done
But whom God remembers long.

Beating the Railroad.

"I bet them railroad people would be mad if they knew somethin'," said Farmer Corntossel.

"What is it?"

"I have to git up every morning at 6 o'clock. Every day at a quarter of 6 the engine blows a whistle that wakes me up, an' nobody has collected a cent for the service."—[Washington Star.

Why Girls Leave Home.

To get away with a fellow.
To get away from a fellow.
"Get up, Mabel; it's after 8."
"Sister kicks in her sleep."
"Mother kicks all day."—[Louisville Post.

Definitions.

Children are merely men and women who have not yet succumbed to civilization.

An affinity is a fresh disappointment in disguise.

A suffragette by any other name would talk as much.

Affection is dignity making an ass of itself.—[Life.

Figuranies.

The man fell in love with her figure,
The woman in love with his;
They married, and now their figures to keep
The chief care of both of them is—
She with massage, with stay, and with pad;
He in the street, plunging like mad!
—[Puck.

Golf Club Suggestions.

When you are put up at a club and invited to sign a friend's name for anything you desire, always provide yourself with a hard pencil. It lasts longer.

Some players, not many, replace divots; but it is better to disregard them, as the cavity prepared with your iron leaves an ideal brassy lie for a following prayer.

After driving into the party ahead the correct explanation is: "I didn't think I was going so far."

Always use a wooden club on a caddy. A niblick is too messy.

Before pocketing a ball lost by another player it is well to wait until the ball stops rolling.—[Chicago Tribune.

AMERICAN BUSINESS.

BY WALTER J. BALLARD.

With ample stocks and the stores crowded with customers, Los Angeles is more than holding its own in American business. The same cheering reports come from San Francisco and other cities in the State of California, and from other States.

Exports in November of this year amounted in value to $208,254,741, an increase of $12,000,000 over November 1909; of $45,000,000 over November 1908, and of $2,000,000 over November 1907, the banner year. For the eleven months ended November, the total was $1,648,320,585, a gain of $81,000,000 over the same period in 1909, and of $72,000,000 over the 1908 period.

Imports in November, 1910, totaled $130,261,333 ($70,000,000 less than the exports,) a decrease of $10,000,000 from those of November, 1909, making, with the $12,000,000 increase in exports, a balance of trade gain in November 1910 over November 1909, of $22,000,000.

In the ten months ended October 31, 1910, compared with the same period of 1909, our exports by countries show the following chief gains, to the benefit of American business generally (Bureau of Statistics:)

	Exports, ten months, 1910.	Increase over 1909.
Germany	$ 150,177,727	$ 30,000,000
Russia in Europe	44,000,000	2,000,000
Spain	12,000,000	3,000,000
Canada	200,000,000	40,000,000
Panama	16,117,000	2,300,000
Mexico	28,000,000	9,000,000
Newfoundland	6,000,000	1,000,000
Cuba	44,000,000	7,000,000
Argentina	25,000,000	7,000,000
Brazil	20,000,000	4,000,000
Chile	8,000,000	2,000,000
Colombia	4,000,000	700,000
Peru	6,000,000	1,000,000
Uruguay	3,000,000	500,000
Guatemala	1,000,000	200,000
Santo Domingo	4,000,000	800,000
Venezuela	5,000,000	800,000
French China	800,000	200,000
German China	400,000	100,000
Straits Settlements	4,000,000	1,000,000
Australia	25,000,000	4,000,000
New Zealand	4,000,000	800,000
Philippines	18,000,000	2,000,000
West British Africa	5,000,000	1,000,000
South British Africa	20,000,000	2,000,000
Portuguese Africa	3,000,000	800,000
Egypt	20,000,000	4,000,000

All of which is good American business.

Then the chief lines of export increases, a long list, but too full of "meat" to be wearisome:

	Exports, ten months, 1910.	Increase over 1909.
Agricultural implements	$27,244,352	$ 4,000,000
Horses	3,439,200	1,000,000
Brass and its manufactures	1,012,000	200,000
Barley (California)	2,054,000	277,000
Oats	300,000	75,000
Automobiles	11,191,676	4,000,000
Railway cars	3,300,000	600,000
Celluloid	1,107,000	200,000
Cement	2,915,000	1,000,000
Chemicals, drugs, etc	17,777,277	1,333,000
Coal	24,000,000	6,000,000
Coffee, green or raw	4,238,000	1,064,000
Cotton, raw	240,000,000	17,000,000
Knit goods	1,170,000	400,000
Wearing apparel	2,000,000	1,000,000
Dental goods	1,651,234	300,000
Earthen and stoneware	2,100,000	400,000
Explosives	4,063,442	1,000,000
Binder twine	2,000,000	1,000,000
Salmon and other fish	2,719,707	1,000,000
Fruits (California mostly)	22,100,707	6,000,000
Furs and fur skins	13,007,729	3,000,000
Glass and glassware	7,427,642	1,000,000
Glucose and grape sugar	7,000,000	900,000
Hides and skins	9,047,000	1,000,000
Hops (California mostly)	1,675,579	500,000
Rubber manufactures	7,224,187	2,000,000
Electrical appliances	4,132,979	2,000,000
Iron ore	1,000,000	600,000
Pig iron	1,000,000	700,000
Steel rails	3,132,293	2,000,000
Iron and steel sheets and plates	5,022,705	2,000,000
Wire	7,000,000	2,000,000
Hardware, hardware	13,000,000	2,000,000
Electrical machinery	4,000,000	1,000,000
Metal-working machinery	5,000,000	2,000,000
Mining machinery (Los Angeles sharing)	3,000,000	1,000,000
Printing presses	1,000,000	600,000
Pumps and pumping machinery	2,000,000	1,000,000
Sewing machines	2,000,000	1,000,000
Typewriting machines	1,000,000	1,000,000
Total machinery (very encouraging)	74,674,000	14,000,000
Iron pipes and fittings	9,000,000	2,000,000
Sole leather	2,000,000	1,000,000
Glazed kid leather	10,000,000	10,000,000
Boots and shoes	11,000,000	1,000,000
Lard compounds	3,000,000	700,000
Naval stores (benefits South)	17,000,000	4,000,000
Linseed or flaxseed oil	1,000,000	1,000,000
Lubricating oil	20,000,000	5,000,000
Paper and manufactures of	3,000,000	1,000,000
Phonographs, etc	2,000,000	1,000,000
Photographic goods	4,000,000	1,000,000
Spirits, wines and liquors	2,000,000	500,000
Starch	3,000,000	1,000,000
Sugar and molasses	3,000,000	2,000,000
Wood and its manufactures	71,000,000	10,000,000

A list of export increases so large and varied as this "means everything" to the American factory, field, forest and farm, and to American business generally.

The Iron Trade Review says: "The structural tonnage offered by builders to manufacturers and fabricators during this year is estimated at about 1,700,000 tons. This indicates that the present year has equalled 1906, which was the largest in the history of the industry."

The New York Central Railway system is ordering 150,000 tons of steel rails. That's more good business.

The Great Northern Railway is in the market for 500 steel ore cars; the Atlanta and West Point for 100 steel flat cars; the Chicago, New York and Boston Refrigerator line for 300 refrigerator cars. In addition the Carnegie Steel Company has an order from the Canadian Car Company for 20,000 tons of plates and shapes.

The New York Sun says: "Increases in dividends this year have far outnumbered decreases and none of the decreases has affected any very large number of stockholders. The United States Steel Corporation disbursed $11,000,000 more than last year. Thirty-three important companies paid out $46,000,000 more in dividends this year than in 1909.

In the face of all the foregoing facts (many more of which might be adduced did space permit,) who can justly be pessimistic as to the condition and prospects of American business?

Want a Menagerie?

Little scraps of velvet,
Little fur bits, too,
Wrought by skillful fingers,
Make a home-made zoo.

It's easy.
Go to the ragbag.
There's inspiration!
Plush bits work wonders.
Felt makes many fine animals.
Even calico may well be utilized.
There's use for all sorts of scraps.
White or black velvet makes a lovely cat.
That bit of gray velvet will make a mouse.
The old gray cotton flannel is good for an elephant.
An impossible old fur piece may be turned into a bear.
An old white rabbit tippet does beautifully for a poodle or a polar bear.
Fur cloth is better than fur for animals to be given to babies, since they put everything into their mouths.

Wife—"I was a fool when I married you." Hub—"Well, I wasn't such a wise guy myself."—[Boston Transcript.

In poker a good deal depends upon a good deal.—[Philadelphia Record.

He conquers twice who restrains himself in victory.—[Syrus.

FLANEUR'S [illegible] AMONG THE [illegible]

It is not [illegible] King of Siam, [illegible] and long [illegible] ascended the [illegible] white elephants [illegible] in England, [illegible] difficult to believe [illegible] lives in the [illegible] poentate, but it [illegible]

While at [illegible] a letter to an [illegible] lamented the [illegible] and stags:"

Ah, Jove, if only [illegible] cess,
Or else myself [illegible] less
Than that which I [illegible] so high—
Oh, then we two [illegible] happiness!

Incidentally, this King [illegible] penchant for literature [illegible] eral novels and verse [illegible] credit. He might [illegible] pared to King Oscar [illegible] other royal poet, whose [illegible] has been published [illegible] plume.

Strange as it may seem, [illegible] so is fond of writing [illegible] mournfully about [illegible] one of his poems—[illegible] was translated some years [illegible]

My soul strives [illegible]
Chilled as by drifting [illegible]
By doubts which [illegible]
Of fading peace [illegible]
Lord Cromer, like [illegible]
George Wyndham, [illegible] for sonnets," while the [illegible] composed by Lord [illegible] a brass [illegible] cathedral at Calcutta [illegible] the Indian [illegible] lost their lives in [illegible] Those sons of Britain [illegible]
Fought not for [illegible]
They died for [illegible]
Made greater [illegible]
Than Sir Jan [illegible]

[illegible] no mean order, when [illegible] many to learn that [illegible] some years ago, wrote [illegible] "Edward VII," which [illegible] the Gibraltar Chronicle [illegible] Gazette. The [illegible] this:

Unfold his standard [illegible] day,
Hymn loud an [illegible] way
Of Edward's crown; [illegible] reign
That hails the dawn [illegible] of gain.

Lord Cranbon, a [illegible] and talent, has [illegible] hymns and [illegible] favorite wedding [illegible] Love," while Sir [illegible] has written many [illegible] are a number of [illegible] countess Galway, [illegible] Lindsay, Lady Alice [illegible] the Marchioness of [illegible] whose [illegible] earned the praise of [illegible]

The mention of [illegible] Right Hon. George [illegible] poetical inclinations [illegible] there have been [illegible] rhymesmiths in the [illegible] mons. Sir [illegible] best, but John O'Leary, [illegible] Sligo, aroused [illegible] when he wrote [illegible] Sligo," which was [illegible] rick O'Brien's [illegible] women teachers [illegible] their own garnet [illegible]

Oh, Patrick, dear, [illegible]
Your smile I'd [illegible]
Give me your hand [illegible]
Oh sentiment with [illegible]
By all the girls [illegible]
From New York [illegible]
No wonder, sure, [illegible]
"The wearing of the [illegible]

An enterprising [illegible] recently organized a [illegible] managers for the [illegible] of Berlin, and the [illegible] so successful that [illegible] foot for the purpose [illegible] similar organizations [illegible]

The chief difference [illegible] ners is that it is [illegible] low" who has [illegible] when you are [illegible] ed train, for [illegible] underground, and [illegible] liberately pushes [illegible] you are not [illegible] him. If you protest [illegible] act of impoliteness, [illegible] explain that you [illegible] of your umbrella [illegible] the way, was not [illegible] are especially [illegible] sort of thing. And [illegible] your umbrella [illegible] venience, he [illegible] apologize to him, [illegible] be a "bounder."

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And a polite [illegible] for gods! Only [illegible] he will get [illegible] and hold open [illegible] that his fare [illegible] if you should [illegible] he would run [illegible] you should remember [illegible] no more than [illegible] defer to your [illegible] fare tax, and [illegible] case that such [illegible] in the least, as [illegible] ing business [illegible]

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And so 'ad [illegible] have crying need [illegible] politeness among [illegible] servants, but [illegible] cities generally [illegible] matter with [illegible] upon ourselves [illegible] we so perfect, [illegible] of our own [illegible] those who have [illegible] complaint of [illegible] ourselves?

When a [illegible] ford to have [illegible] tion, we [illegible] age of luxury [illegible]

Mrs. De [illegible] anxious about [illegible]

Mrs. Justice [illegible] up in a ballroom [illegible]

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Miss Brunson.

[illegible], Dec. 26.—[To the Times:] The statement [illegible] Suffrage Association is [illegible] the liquor interests," [illegible] by Miss Brunson, [illegible] the liquor interests," [illegible] truly from beginning to [illegible] as reasonable to say [illegible] the same side of the [illegible] the Suffragist chicken [illegible] by the wildest of [illegible]

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[illegible] vice-president in charge [illegible] the Southern Pacific [illegible] San Francisco this [illegible]

[illegible] assistant general manager [illegible] Pacific in charge [illegible] has returned from a [illegible] San Francisco.

[illegible] president of the Santa [illegible] his winter home in [illegible] yesterday afternoon, [illegible] says stay here.

Iowa University she taught [illegible] matics for several years in [illegible] School at St. Paul, Minn. [illegible] was attached to the Uni[illegible] Commissioner General's [illegible] educational department at [illegible] Exposition. At the close of [illegible] dition she brought the educa[illegible] hibit to Buffalo and superin[illegible] department at the Pan-Am[illegible] position in 1901; was superin[illegible] the elementary and seconda[illegible] tional exhibit at the St. Lou[illegible] tion and, later, assistant se[illegible] the International Jury of A[illegible] this exposition; was sent [illegible] United States Bureau of Edu[illegible] Belgium to report the educational congresses held at [illegible] Liege and Mons; upon her [illegible] this country became chief o[illegible] partment of Social Economy [illegible] the Jamestown Exposition. [illegible] a civil service examination [illegible] special agent of the Unit[illegible] Bureau of Labor in its inv[illegible] of the condition of women [illegible] dren in industry; did some [illegible] the Seattle Exposition for th[illegible] ment of the Interior; then t[illegible] States Bureau of Labor se[illegible] report on the shirt waist str[illegible] this—as was telegraphed by [illegible] reau of Labor at Washing[illegible] ious inquirers here—she [illegible] resigned her position last Ju[illegible] at literary to speak where[illegible] wherever she chooses, wit[illegible] nicious activity.

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MARY S. CA[illegible]
President Association Op[illegible] Woman Suffrage.

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Here is a Special Suit [illegible] is well styled and good [illegible] and at the same time it [illegible] "to wear like iron."

It is made of woolen [illegible] proofed, having the g[illegible] ance to wear and tear. [illegible] taped seams and speci[illegible] non-breakable, hair cl[illegible]

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Degree from Iowa University she taught mathematics for several years in the High School at St. Paul, Minn. In 1899 she was attached to the United States Commissioner General's staff, in the educational department at the Paris Exposition. At the close of this exposition she brought the educational exhibit to Buffalo and superintended that department at the Pan-American Exposition in 1901; was superintendent of the elementary and secondary educational exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition and, later, assistant secretary of the International Jury of Awards at this exposition; was sent by the United States Bureau of Education to Belgium to report the great educational congresses held at Brussels, Liege and Mars; upon her return to this country became chief of the Department of Social Economy, etc., at the Jamestown Exposition. Through a civil service examination became a special agent of the United States Bureau of Labor in its investigation of the condition of women and children in industry; did special work at the Seattle Exposition for the Department of the Interior; then the United States Bureau of Labor sent her to report on the shirt waist strike. After this—as was telegraphed by the Bureau of Labor at Washington to anxious inquirers here—she voluntarily resigned her position last June and is at library to speak whenever and wherever she chooses, without pernicious activity.

We have invited Miss Brunson to come back to California this winter to assist us as Anti-Suffragists.

MARY S. CASWELL,
President Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage.

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Toys Reduced This is an all-the-year round toy store----complete stocks at all times. But we don't want to be bothered with any scratched or broken toys or dolls—and we find that hundreds of them received little beauty-hurts during the Christmas rush. Now to make a speedy clearance of all such, we are doing some reckless price-cutting; price cuts that will make it surprisingly easy for you to gladden the heart of many a youngster who failed to realize his expectations on Christmas morning.

(Fourth Floor, Rear.)

$22.50 to $37.50 Oriental Rugs . . $17.50

Shirvans, Beluchistan, Cabristan and Cashmere weaves, in many really handsome patterns—sizes 3 to 4 feet wide by 5 to 7 feet long—rugs of the character commonly sold at $22.50 to $37.50.

(Third Floor, Rear.)

$5.00 to $10.00 Gossard Corsets . . $2.50

Eight hundred and thirty-seven when the sale opened yesterday morning; probably 250 or 300 for today's early comers.

Naturally the line of sizes is broken—but there are plenty in sizes 18, 19 and 20 and 27 to 35; many $7.50 to $10 models. Even if there are any left after today they will not be sold at $2.50.

None fitted today.

None sold C. O. D. or on approval. No phone orders.

(Second Floor, Hill Street End.)

Women's $25 to $35 Suits $14.50

Still a splendid selection—there were over a hundred in the collection yesterday, remember. Splendidly tailored suits of broadcloth, serges, diagonals, basket weaves, mannish worsteds and checks—and a few one-piece dresses of blue, black and brown serges $14.50.

(Second Floor, Front.)

Women's Knit Underwear

Specially Priced for Thursday

Backward winter weather---knit underwear business hasn't met our expectations. Now to reduce stock before inventory.

25c GARMENTS 15c—Women's fleeced cotton pants of the 25c grade at 15c.

Broken lines of children's 25c vests, pants and drawers at 15c each.

75c GARMENTS 45c—Women's fleeced cotton vests and pants of the 75c quality at 45c each.

$1 GARMENTS 75c—Women's fleeced and medium weight cotton union suits—high neck and long sleeves, and ankle length—75c each.

$1.25 GARMENTS 95c—Women's $1.25 heavy cotton union suits—high neck and long sleeves and ankle length—95c each.

$1.50 GARMENTS $1.25—Munsing union suits of medium weight cotton—high neck and long sleeves—now $1.25 each. And the regular $1.25 grade at $1.00 each.

Above prices go in effect Thursday morning.

(Main Floor, Rear.)

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Second Floor Garment Clearance Sale

Very soon, indeed, we shall begin to show new spring garments; room must immediately be made, and those of you who are wise enough to know that styles change very little from fall and winter to spring, will be the ones who make the most of such opportunities for saving as this clearance sale, embracing all parts of the second floor, offers you:

Women's Ready-to-Wear Garments Reduced

TAILORED WAISTS 75c—Extra heavy linene waists, with colored stripes; just exactly half their regular price, which is $1.50.

SWEATERS—All odd garments and slightly soiled sweaters go in at just half original prices—
$5.00 Sweaters, $2.50; $4.50 Sweaters, $2.25; $3.50 Sweaters, $1.75; $3.00 Sweaters, $1.50; $2.50 Sweaters, $1.25.

BATH ROBES—Dozens of styles of ripple and German eiderdown robes reduced as follows—
$5.00 robes are now $3.00; $6.00 and $6.50 robes now $5.00.

BLANKET SACQUES—Warm, comfortable, pretty; $3.50 garments now $2.50. Others at reductions averaging a third.

LONG SILK KIMONOS—Navy, Alice blue, tan and similar grounds, with Oriental designs; satin borders; good $6.50 values $3.75.

SILK WAISTS $3.75—Many handsome veiling waists, together with others of equally desirable style; good $5 values now $3.75.

SILK WAISTS $5.00—Values from $6.50 to $10.00—Persians, plain messalines, fancy and plain taffetas; plenty of blacks.

PERSIAN MESSALINE PETTICOATS $5.00—Those that sell regularly at $6.50; many guaranteed taffetas in regular and extra sizes; and Jersey tops with messaline flounces included at the one price, $5.00.

CORSETS $2.50—Odd lines and discontinued numbers that are worth much more, go in this sale, for clearance—plenty long hip models at $2.50.

OTHER BARGAINS—In waists, sacques and ready-to-wear furnishings cahnot get detailed mention; look for them.

WOOL SUITS REDUCED—Not a garment in the entire stock has escaped repricing—serges, rough cheviots, mixtures—all the materials which promise as much popularity this spring as they have during the winter, at such low prices as follows—
Suits at $12.50, $15.00, $17.50, $20.00, $22.50, $25.00 and up to our very choicest at $115.00.

COATS, SILK AND VELVET GOWNS—are similarly reduced—on some garments in this sale prices have been cut fully one-half—all garments are new and smart in style; all veritable bargains at the new prices.

New Spring Foulards Are Already Here

Every indication points to the increased popularity of foulards for spring—they will undoubtedly be THE fancy silk. This is news of much interest to many women—as will be the additional fact that our showing is already practically complete:

So important do we consider this news of advance fashions in spring silks that we have given half our Broadway display windows over to an exhibition of styles shown here only.

The handsome foulards in the window are very reasonably priced at a dollar-twenty-five a yard; we have others, in equally pretty, new designs, at 85c; and an unusually comprehensive assortment at only fifty cents.

Bear in mind the very important fact that no other store in Los Angeles will show any of these patterns, nor will they be reproduced in cheap prints, because the factory makes them to our exclusive and individual order; such designs cannot grow common.

The Attention of Motorists and Travelers is Directed to Our Steamer Rugs and Auto Robes

It is a positive fact that we carry in stock the largest assortment of these robes in Los Angeles; extra heavy, medium and light weights for every possible purpose:

IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC ROBES,
plain or fringed, in beautiful, soft, rich colors that will harmonize with the painting of your machine—plaids with plain backs, plaided on both sides, checks, Indian designs, etc., etc., from $3.00 to.....$25.00

Wool lined leather robes in black or red, for rainy weather use, keep out cold and rain, at $10.00 to.....$20.00

A SPECIAL DISPLAY
of these robes make selection easy; we esteem it a pleasure to show you the diversity of them in stock; and invite comparison of qualities and prices.

Many Desirable Gift Things for New Year's Are Reduced

Many of you were remembered with Christmas gifts, who would like to reciprocate with presents on New Years' day—the custom is a rapidly growing and very pleasant one. Suggestions—

TOILET SETS IN SILVER REDUCED.
$12.50 manicure sets reduced now to.....$10.00
$25.00 toilet sets reduced now to.....$20.00
$35.00 toilet and manicure sets (combined) now.....$25.00
$40.00 toilet and manicure sets combined) now.....$32.50
$50.00 toilet and manicure sets (combined) $38.50
$60.00 toilet and manicure sets (combined) $48.50

STATIONERY REDUCED.
Famous makes of high-grade boxed stationery—regularly 35c to $5.00 a box, buyable now at 25c to.....$3.50 box

CALENDARS REDUCED.
Many of them very elaborate; no matter what present prices, buyable now at exactly HALF.

Warm Winter Wash Goods

Probably many of you will be glad to turn the money you received for gifts into warm dressing gowns or similar practical, comfortable garments. Of many of the following articles, we are the only store in town that has any quality:

DOUBLE-FACED EIDERDOWNS.
In a variety of very handsome, rich patterns; light on one side, dark on the other.....35c yd.

20c FLANNELETTES AT 15c YD.
Every piece of our regular twenty-cent flannelettes, figured in different colors on shaded grounds, together with Persian stripe and allover patterns, some of the goods as wide as 36 inches, now.....15c yd.

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Plenty of plain and fancy outing flannels at every price between.....6⅔c and 12½c yd.

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The English unshrinkable flannel, for waists, etc., here in scores of neat, new designs, at.....75c yd.

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Events in Local Society

THE home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene S. Ives of Shorb was the scene last evening of a brilliant reception, when their daughters, the Misses Annette and Cora Ives, were introduced. Two hundred guests assembled to greet the charming debutantes. Garlands of pepper boughs and ferns brightened the rooms. Among the greenery twinkled hundreds of red and green electric bulbs which cast a soft glow over the elaborate gowns worn by the guests. The garden was illuminated with parti-colored lights and was an enticing spot. Following supper a cotillion in the green beneath a large tent was enjoyed by the younger set.

Mrs. Ives wore an exquisite robe of black spangled satin. Miss Ives was attired in pink satin draped gracefully in chiffon. Miss Cora was attractive in white brocade satin veiled in chiffon. This was finished with a garland of chiffon roses. Both young girls carried showers of pink roses.

The receiving line included, besides the hostess, Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, Mrs. L. N. Brunswig, Mrs. Ernest A. Bryant, Mrs. Thomas E. Gibson, Mrs. Wesley Clark, Mrs. William E. Dunn, Mrs. E. J. Marshall, Mrs. Wesley Roberts, Mrs. Guy Barham, Miss Susanne Lynch, Miss Anna McDermott, Miss Lucille Clark, Miss Anne Patton, Miss Marjorie Utley, Miss Mary Addison Walker, Miss Inez Clark, Miss Echo Allen, Miss Kate Van Nuys, Miss Emma Conroy and Miss Katherine Stearns.

Christmas Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Inda E. Higgins and John B. Sears was solemnized Sunday in the Salem Evangelical Church, corner of Twelfth and Hope streets, Rev. W. H. Althouse officiating. Only relatives were present. Miss Higgins was attended by her cousin, Miss Minnie Dudley, Frank Dudley was best man. The bride's gown was of pearl gray material, and her bouquet was of Cecile Brunner roses. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Higgins of No. 611 West Eleventh street. Mr. Sears is a business man of Wellington, Kan., where they will make their home. A wedding breakfast followed at the family home.

Invitations Issued.

Mrs. L. N. Brunswig of West Adams street has issued invitations for a tea party to be given in honor of Miss Bernard, who is her house guest, January 1 has been chosen for the date.

Granddaughter to Be Honored.

Complimentary to her granddaughter Miss Ruth Larned, Mrs. W. W. Neuer will entertain with a smart reception at the Ebell Clubhouse during January.

To Honor Daughter.

In honor of her daughter, Miss Rae Belle Morian, Mrs. Arthur F. Morian of Manhattan place will entertain with a tea the early part of next month.

To Wed Tacoma Girl.

On January 4, Miss Nellie M. Curtiss and Gerald R. Gage will wed at the home of her parents, Tacoma. Miss Curtiss, who is a popular and talented young lady, is a niece of "Birdman" Glenn Curtiss. Mr. Gage is a business man of Balboa, where the happy pair will make their home after an extended tour of Western Canada and a few weeks sojourn in Mexico. The groom is a nephew of former Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage.

Going to Texas.

Mrs. J. A. Brown of Vallejo, who has been visiting Mrs. W. E. Easton of No. 1222 Ivy street will leave this morning for San Antonio, to visit her father, Dr. J. S. Cameron.

Coming Affair.

Another affair to be given for Miss Ruth Larned is the theater party to be presided over by Miss May Rhoades of Park View avenue. The guests will be entertained January 7.

Miss Witney to Wed.

The wedding of Miss Katherine Witney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Witney of West Jefferson street, to Shirley E. Brewer of Chicago, will be an event of interest, January 17. The service will be read in the evening, in St. James' Methodist Episcopal Church.

Subscription Dance.

The Subscription Dance which will take place Friday evening in the Goldberg-Bosley assembly rooms will, if predictions can be counted upon, rival in splendor the dances of last year, which are still remembered with pleasure. The patronesses who will aid in making the party a pretty one are: Mrs. Ernest A. Bryant, Mrs. I. N. Van Nuys, Mrs. Alfred Solano, Mrs. Michael J. Connell, Mrs. Allan Balch, Mrs. William May Garland, Mrs. Walter Scott Newhall, Mrs. George J. Denis, Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mrs. Granville Macgowan and Mrs. Walter Jarvis Barlow.

Visitors Honored.

Mrs. James Henry Ballagh of No. 1525 Fifth avenue will be hostess Thursday afternoon at a musicale tea with which she will compliment Mrs. John Burr Wandell of Providence, R. I., Mrs. Herbert Van Dyne and Mrs. W. T. Hatch of San Francisco and Mrs. Lewis Wilson Jones of Louisville.

Musical Dance.

Members of the Matinee Musical Club will give a musical dancing party on the evening of January 6, at the Gamut Clubhouse. Officers of the club will act as hostesses.

Dance For Buds.

The Misses Lucy Lantz and Margaret Lantz Daniell will entertain this evening with a dancing party at the home of the former, No. 2623 South Figueroa street. The young hostesses will be assisted by Mrs. Charles Lantz, Mrs. J. R. Scott, Mrs. J. C. Harris and Mrs. William Swift Daniell.

Sorority Dance.

An enjoyable dancing party was given last evening at Kramer's by members of the Delta Iota Chi sorority. The ball room was radiant with Christmas decorations. The young hostesses included Miss Marie Bobrick, Miss Virginia Nourse, Miss Ruth Huntsberger, Miss Katherine Mullen, Miss Edith Cross, Miss Gladys Powers, Miss Marjorie Erickson, Miss Erma Taggert, Miss Mary Spaulding, Miss Elisabeth Babcock and Miss Georgia Johnson.

Quiet Wedding.

In the presence of members of the family only, Miss Emily Mary Rutherfurd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherfurd of No. 1126 West Twenty-second street, became the bride of Ross Fullerton Medine, an artist of this city. The service was solemnized Christmas day in St. John's Episcopal Church, the rector, Rev. Dr. Lewis G. Morris officiating. January 14 the young people will entertain with a reception in their new bungalow on Cove street, Edendale.

At Arrowhead.

A merry party of guests at Arrowhead includes: Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lacey and Miss Louise Lacey; Los Angeles; Miss A. M. Woodford, Redlands; Mr. and Mrs. George B. Easton, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Elsefer, San Diego; Mrs. E. S. Easton, Miss Ella B. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Blenzby, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Meldroth, Miss Ina Underwood, Bennie Easton, J. L. Murphey and wife, B. E. Jackson and wife, W. W. Schiffman, Eulalie Schiffman, William L. Price, Los Angeles; Mrs. E. J. Knapp, Mrs. E. R. Stevens, Santa Barbara; Isabel Gilchrist Montieth, Miss Merle Ball, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Wright, A. W. Ballard and child, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Evans and son, Errol S. Evans, Riverside; Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Clune and son, J. P. Stocksdale and wife, D. G. Wood, R. G. Lunt, Dr. G. G. Crist, John Barnes, Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Rowe, Miss Barnes, Josephine Rosenberg, Seymour Swarts and wife, Lawrence W. Swarts, Leo Kelley and wife, Los Angeles.

PERSONAL.

Dr. O. E. Thomas and wife of Phoenix, are staying at the Hayward.

Mr. and Mrs. Gavin McNab have returned from San Francisco and are at the Westminster.

O. C. F. Adams, a retired banker of Potsdam, N. Y., is at the Hollenbeck for the winter.

W. E. Blake, who has mining interests near Phoenix, is passing a few days at the Westminster.

John J. McClellan, superintendent of the United Railways of San Francisco, is staying at the Angelus.

W. C. Hood, of the Chalmers Auto Company, is a recent arrival at the Lankershim from Detroit.

B. T. Dyer and wife arrived at the Van Nuys yesterday afternoon in their automobile from Bakersfield.

Henry Hess, manager of the Morrison Lumber Company of San Francisco, is a guest at the Alexandria.

W. E. Hill and J. L. Pennington are guests at the Hollenbeck. They have mining interests at Goldfield.

J. R. Crawford, an official of the Cudahy Company of San Francisco, is registered at the Alexandria.

John C. Wooten is a guest at the Angelus. He is manager of the Windsor House of Americus, Ga.

Rev. Edward A. Wicher and wife, on their honeymoon, arrived at the Van Nuys yesterday from San Francisco.

W. J. Ross, a Chicago grain broker, accompanied by his wife and Mrs. M. E. Ross, is stayong at the Lankershim.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hogue of Portland, are staying at the Alexandria. Hogue is manager of the Nortinia Hotel.

E. H. Langly and F. W. Train, interested in oil properties in the Maricopa field, arrived at the Hollenbeck yesterday.

George J. Jackson and wife are at the Angelus. Jackson is manager of the American Piano Company of San Francisco.

A. J. and R. R. Pollak, interested in oil properties in the southwest, arrived at the Van Nuys yesterday from San Francisco.

T. A. Riodan of Flagstaff, is a recent arrival at the Van Nuys. He is president of the American Lumber and Timber Company.

Dr. L. Fineman of San Francisco, is a guest at the Hayward. Dr. Charles R. Cowan, of the same city, is staying at the Alexandria.

W. F. Pellems, Jr., interested in copper mines in the Lake Superior country, and his wife are at the Hayward from Duluth.

W. W. Wynn, a mining engineer, who has been in Johannesburg, South Africa for several years, registered at the Hollenbeck yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Grove of Brooklyn are occupying apartments at the Hayward. Mr. Grove is in the photographic supply business.

Capt. S. M. De Laffre, U. S. A., is at the Lankershim to visit the avoation meet. He is connected with the San Francisco Presidio, and is accompanied by his wife.

P. H. Landergin, a cattle and land operator of Vega, Tex., is at the Alexandria. He is accompanied by his wife, daughter Miss Alice, son John, and Miss Virginia Corbin.

Mrs. Charles A. Cooke and Miss Hazel Cooke, wife and daughter of the manager of the Fairmount Hotel of San Francisco, are staying at the Van Nuys. They are accompanied by Miss Ethel Pippy, daughter of Col. Pippy, a retired business man of that city. They will go to Coronado from here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ritchie, accompanied by their servants, are guests at the Alexandria. They are here from West Newton, Mass. Mr. Ritchie is the son of a former Boston builder and is bringing his touring car here for the winter. After a few days the Ritchies will go to Warner's Hot Springs.

VOTES FOR WOMEN, THEIR CRY.

Local Suffragists Will Invade North, Prepared to Spread Their Gospel Before State Legislators.

Los Angeles women who want to vote are firing their first broadside at the legislators of the North this week. They are mailing to each member of the next General Assembly a statement which John H. Shafroth, Governor of Colorado, made before the United States Senate committee on woman suffrage at its last session.

Gov. Shafroth, like every other man in office in Colorado, holds down his job because the women let him, and like any other man in public office, is much obliged to his constituency. He made a fine spread-eagle speech to the United States Senators who had woman suffrage staring them in the face like death, in the form of Senate joint resolution No. 81, and the women who want to vote in all States where they are not enfranchised are making campaign literature out of the Congressional document.

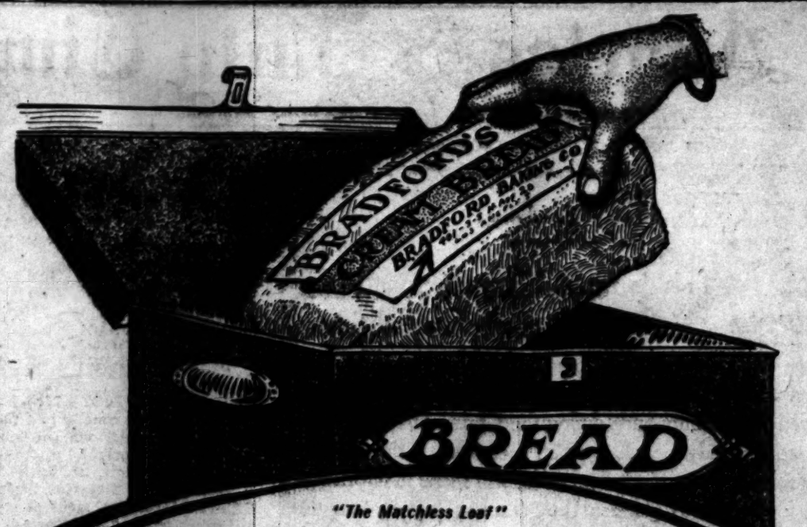
J. H. Braly, president of the local Political Equality League, will leave tonight for San Francisco, where he will join Mrs. Colin, chairman of the State Woman's Suffrage Association Committee on Legislation, in the presentation of their cause before a conference of legislators to be held in the Palace Hotel this week.

Talk Not of Age.

Talk not of age; the waning years
Leave one more wise as they depart,
And with them mingle smiles and tears,
If one but young remains at heart.
The seasons come, the seasons go,
But with revolving days return,
Till Winter's evanescent snow
Melts in the laughing, leaping burn.
And when the cuckoo calls again,
The sap of April floods one's veins,
And as he flies from glen to glen,
Rejoicing in Spring's sunlit rains,
I feel as young as even he,
Seeking him near, afar, above,
Echoing his name, in playful glee
Of faithless undomestic love.
Nor when deep Summer silence rests
On windless thicket, sheltered lawn
From thoughtful hearts and pious breasts
Is Nature's sympathy withdrawn.
The faithful cushat faintly heard,
Repeats the simple note of home,
Teaching the lesson, wisest bird,
How blest are those not prone to roam.

[Alfred Austin, in Independent.—

Prolonged grieving over the death of Tolstoi, the Russian novelist, is believed to have brought insanity to Paul Lansner, a Brooklyn student. He is under observation in a strait jacket in the King County Hospital. Lansner continually talked of the dead man and the great good he had done for the cause of humanity.



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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEWPORT (R. I.) Dec. 27.—The will of the late John La Farge, artist and author, was opened in the Probate Court here today. It is dated New York City, April 23, 1910. None of the members of Mr. La Farge's family is mentioned in the will, nor is there any intimation whatever of the size of his estate, nor does he leave any specific bequest in terms or cash.

Grace E. Barnes of Larchmont, N. Y., is named as executrix with the request that she be not required to furnish bonds.

The will provides that all drawings of the testator be offered to the Metropolitan, Carnegie, Worcester and Seattle museums for a sum to be determined by the executrix, and if the offers are not accepted by the museums, the drawings are to be sold at public auction.

The paintings of the artist are to be disposed of in the same manner, with the exception that private sale is provided instead of public auction in the event the museums do not care to purchase the paintings at the prices named by the executrix.

The books, studio effects and all other articles of personal property belonging to the testator are to be disposed of by the executrix in the most advantageous manner and the proceeds of such sales are to be distributed by her among certain persons named in a separate paper.

Provision is made that royalties from the books of the testator shall be paid to the executrix, who is to continue their publication.

The testator expresses the wish that all expenses of his interment, the building of a tomb and his debts be paid from the proceeds of the sale of his effects, the remainder to be distributed among such museums and other public institutions as his executrix may design.

WOMAN FATALLY INJURED.

VISALIA, Dec. 27.—Mrs. T. E. L. McFayden was fatally injured and her husband, a Fresno business man, slightly hurt at Goshen Junction yesterday, when their automobile was struck by an engine which was backing on the Southern Pacific track at the crossing.

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Mammoth Tent's Auto Midway Hums With Life.

Gems Set in Green and White Full of Beauty.

Thousands thronged the motor midway at the Licensed Automobile Show in Fiesta Park yesterday. From early morning until late at night the aisles hummed with busy life. The late model machines received the homage and the Mecca of motordom proved it is the greatest drawing card ever arranged in the history of the local auto industry.

From the wide pool of clear water near the entrance to the rainbow-tinted falls tumbling riotously over the cascade at the extreme end, the show held the attention of the record-breaking attendance of the week. It was one of the features of yesterday's exhibit to watch the large company strolling beneath the trees of the redwood forest or wandering along the banks of the trout-filled brook, which meanders through the long avenue of cars to the lower end of the hall.

Stylishly gowned women enjoyed the novel spectacle. The setting of green and white shows off the nineteen-eleven models to such advantage that it is possible to spend hours examining the Selden patent beauties. Comparisons were made but the women chose the cars in startling colors. This was proved yesterday when the booths where so many of these highly colored machines hold sway, contained scores and scores of fair chauffeuses who sat at the wheels, rested a moment in the tonneaus and then admired the lines of these show beauties.

THE WEST WINS.

Startling colors catch the eye at Fiesta. One glance down the main aisles is sure to be rewarded by a bright red, a shining green or a sky blue touring car, which is to be one of the attractions in the East at the coming Madison Square Garden Show. The West has won this year. The crowd has a chance to study the late model cars before the people of the East have seen them.

Unique in its display, this automobile show breaks all records. The cars are here and the factories of the East, that is, the factory heads, have done themselves proud by sending the latest models of motordom to Los Angeles in time for the finest exhibit ever made. There are surprises in store for those who attend the automobile show.

Two hundred motor cars, in ten-score different models, hold sway under 150,000 square feet of canvas at the largest automobile exhibit ever held in the West. It will take days to examine each of these cars carefully and there are those who have spent every hour since the show opened wandering among the cars and lounging in the booth alcoves.

TROUT FLIRT THERE.

Real trout, speckled beauties, flirt through the waters of the stream from Bridal Veil Falls. The fish add to the beauty of the river and it is enjoyable to stand on the rustic bridges and watch the salmon trout dash through the narrows on their way to the falls in the canyon.

Deep in the pool the fish can be seen darting through the lighted waters. This novel idea found its birth in the brain of a committeeman who secured the trout and turned them loose. When given their freedom the fish at once tried a stunt which is impossible. They were unable to dart up the falls to the basin above.

Fishing is prohibited. There is a sign to that effect near the edge of the fern-bordered stream. The temptation is great, but the committee would not allow you to enter the mammoth tent with anything in the shape of a fishing pole. The fish are to remain in the waters until after the show and then will be returned to their natural haunts as well as ever. They are fed each day by P. H. Greer, chairman of the show committee.

These motor gems which shine in the beautiful setting in the immense tent are attracting thousands to the Mecca of motordom. The late model cars were never shown before to such advantage with all the latest improvements which are to make the motor industry one of the leading financial branches of the world.

PRICE REVOLUTION.

Automobile prices have been revolutionized. This can be seen to advantage at Fiesta. There is more car for the money offered this year. The machines approach perfection and are finished by the most careful designers, who have looked to the public for ideas. The motor industry is brought to a sane basis by the display at the big show.

There is much to learn under the wide stretch of canvas. The improvements of a year are many and the public enjoyed the demonstration yesterday. The cars are shown stripped to the chassis, with every part working smoothly under the direction of a motor that sends the engine over in just the way that a gasoline explosion works and shows the transmission and differential.

One of the attractive conners corners is the Lozier booth, where the trim racer is on display. This Santa Monica road-race winner, looking just the same as it did when Teddy Tetziaff crossed the line with all American road records in his grasp, is the attraction at the show alcove, where the Lozier agent has made his exhibit. The car was not even washed and polished, but has the same war paint which was seen by the thousands on the Thanksgiving Day race.

Another attractive exhibit is found in the Packard booth, further up the aisle. Here a stripped Packard chassis is being operated for the benefit of the throng of interested owners of high-grade cars. For the first time in the history of any automobile show in the West, a Packard without the body is displayed. This skeleton of the machine, which has so many admirers, attracted a large number yesterday, who spent hours in the booths where the Packards are housed.

THAT PACKARD.

Just beyond the stripped Packard is the limousine, which is one of the show beauties. Finished in the dark Packard blue, this car is one of the show attractions. Here the women enjoy a siesta, as the inclosed machine looks good to those who wish to drive to the opera or attend a swell function where it is necessary to go in full dress.

A. M. Young has a red hat that is attracting considerable attention. He agrees to give this hat to the purchaser of the big green Thomas "Flyer" in the Thomas-Mercer booth. The hat was first shown to the public at the Santa Monica road race and, while the Mercer was in the lead, Young held a prominent place.

There are other things in the Mercer booth which attract. The sky-blue car, finished with a search-light on the dash, looks good to many. It is one of the most interesting machines in that particular exhibit. It is shown to advantage against the background of the tall trees.

Just beyond the Mercer is the Knox "Giant." This big car is the attraction in the Doerr-Brown alcove. It is finished with all the latest kinks that can be given to an automobile and looks the part of a high-class tourer. It was sold last night and the local agents are proud of the sale, as the car goes fully equipped with top, glass front, speedometer, prest-o-lite tank and other accessories.

A POPE RACER.

Near the entrance, after the snow storm scene has been passed without a shiver, is the Pope-Hartford booth, where the Santa Monica racer is on display. This stylish car, the latest model which the Pope people have, is the centerpiece of the exhibit made by William Ruess.

The road-scarred veteran shows to advantage in the large space just beyond the rest alcove. This is one of the cars which the women do not yearn to drive. It is too fast and the machine which a girl once dared to risk her life in is attracting the lion's share of attention over in the Pope display.

The long lines of this white ghost, which sailed over the Santa Monica course at such terrific speed, looks good to the speed crazed ones who are

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The Glidden Trophy, Most Coveted Prize in Motordom,

won by the Chalmers stock car in the last national Glidden tour, and which may be won by a western motor car this year, if the big contest comes to the Pacific Coast.

Best Ever.

FIESTA SHOW BREAKS RECORDS AND AUTOMOBILE MEN ARE GLAD.

BY EARLE C. ANTHONY.

President Licensed Automobile Dealers' Association.

TO SAY that I am gratified with the success of the second annual automobile show of the licensed dealers is to put it mildly. The committee has worked hard to make his show a success from every standpoint and it must be extremely gratifying to them to see the results they have achieved. It was originally planned to make this exhibition unique from every viewpoint, one that would reflect credit upon Los Angeles and one that would be large enough, beautiful enough and clever enough to take its place with the shows of the world.

It is right that Los Angeles, having more automobiles in proportion to the population than any other city in the United States, should come to the front and show the eastern people what we can do if we put our shoulders together. Outside of being the largest exhibition on one floor ever given in the United States, from an artistic standard, no show has ever been given which, in my opinion, can approach this one for novelty in ideas, grandness in effect and the attention to details.

The eastern shows have been large, and have been beautifully decorated, but they have been handled by professional decorators. Consequently, while beautiful in design, there has been nothing strikingly distinctive. However, in our show, something of the atmosphere of the country in which we live has been incorporated. The effect on a visitor, especially an eastern visitor, coming through the snowstorm at the entrance, and then suddenly finding himself in the midst of a gigantic redwood forest, through which roars the rushing torrent of water, is something that must be experienced to be appreciated.

The way the people of Southern California have responded to this show is remarkable and it is gratifying to see that the efforts of the dealers are appreciated. No visitor can enter this magnificent canvased exposition hall, and leave it without feeling that they have seen something which will linger in their memory for years to come.

The exhibitors have stood together without regard to expense, their one idea being to make this a representative show of Southern California, and this has accounted for the success of the exhibition. When one considers that this show, on account of its great expense, will always be a losing proposition financially, and that it is given in order to let the public become acquainted with the latest ideas in motor car construction, it is all the more remarkable.

The attendance has been particularly good, and more than was anticipated, in view of the fact that the aviation meet selected the same date as the automobile show and is running as a counter attraction. No other city in the world could provide a record-breaking attendance to two such immense amusement enterprises at the same time. It certainly shows that Los Angeles, as usual, when any proposition is taken up, does it better than any other city in the United States.

BEGGAR IN AGAIN.

Tom Murphy, a beggar, pleaded not guilty to the charge in Police Judge Rose's branch of Police Court yesterday morning and had his trial set for February 15.

Here for First Time.

GLIDDEN TOUR MAY COME WEST.

World-Honored Trophy Center of Exhibit.

Throngs Admire Rich Prize Which Adorns Midway.

Chalmers Victory Celebrated Under Redwood Boughs.

An automobile endurance run from the Atlantic to the Pacific may be announced soon after the Licensed Automobile Show at Fiesta Park is closed. The Glidden trophy, which is known the world over because of its association with the automobile industry, will be the prize.

Over mountain, plain and valley the cars are to be sent on the strenuous, spring-testing trip which will take the machines from New York to Los Angeles. Already a movement has been started among the licensed automobile dealers to make Los Angeles the goal of the next Glidden.

This undertaking will cost thousands of dollars, but will bring the leading men of the East to the heart of the motor mart in the West. The project of a motor highway from sea to sea will be given a big boost and the reliability of the self-propelled machine will be proved, it is argued, as it never was before.

The course is ideal. There is almost every conceivable kind of road that must be toured. Bumps and ruts, gullies and rivulets are in the way. There are long stretches of turnpike which follow the old Santa Fe trail. There are good roads over which speed can be made.

When the Fiesta Park automobile show was planned for Christmas week, an effort was at once made to bring the Glidden cup to this city in order to exhibit the prize in the redwood forest under the mammoth tent. The cup had never been sent West and the task was hard. Other shows had been held and other show committees had tried to secure the world emblem.

Those who are in charge of the handsome motor exhibit agreed that the Glidden trophy was worth striving for, and finally the prize was won. For the first time in the history of motordom the Glidden was expressed across the continent and is exhibited at Fiesta Park. This trophy, worth thousands of dollars, is in the booth of the Western Motor Car Company and occupies a place near the fiery red Chalmers tourer, a duplicate of the car that won the national endurance contest in June of this year.

Facing one of the main aisles of the show, this trophy can be admired by many who would like to hold it for the coming year. It is to be contested for again and will be sent back after the show is over.

Perhaps a Los Angeles car will win the big emblem and it may be seen again on the Pacific Coast.

Earle C. Anthony, president of the Licensed Automobile Dealers' Association, now holds the most coveted prize for which an automobile endurance contest was ever held. World-honored and associated with a series of the most severe tours ever held, this is valued highly by the automobile men of the United States and is admired by thousands at the Fiesta Park show.

When the trophy was first given years ago in the beginning of the automobile industry, a contest of 300 miles was considered severe enough for the self-propelled machines to engage in. The past year, when the automobile engine approaches perfection, it was decided to hold a tour of more than 3000 miles.

Nearly 100 different makes of cars entered the contest. The autos were sent through the boggy roads of Tennessee and Kentucky and into the lowlands of the South. In a district where the motor car has never been driven before, the Glidden tourers contested, and one by one the cars lost points.

WINS GLOBE.

On the Chalmers "Thirty," which made a hit all through the tour, was William Bolger, who had never driven in such a contest before. He kept his car moving and saved his points and earned credit by his performance each day. When the tour ended, he was well in the lead and won the globe on the big silver pedestal. He considered this the greatest achievement of his life and was satisfied.

With the trophy in the hands of the Chalmers people, a movement was started at once to bring the Glidden tour West this year. There is every reason to believe that the course for this year's contest will be laid out from the Atlantic to the Pacific Coast, one of the longest tours ever planned for an automobile. Over the transcontinental route, these cars are to travel in search of additional honors.

There is a question as to just where the tour shall be started. New York appears to be the ideal place, and most of the motor men and the leaders who have the tour in charge seem to have decided on the Empire City as the spot in which the starter's gun shall be fired. This would mean that the cars are to travel to Buffalo, thence to Chicago, down to Cincinnati, across to Kansas City, thence to Santa Fe, N.

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A WORSHIPPER OF BEAUTY AT THE SHRINE OF THE AUTO.

BY HENRY CHRISTEEN WARNACK.

I HAVE SEEN the automobile show, but not the automobiles. I could not see them for the lights and the brook, any more than I could hear the whir of machinery for the song of a bird from his perch in a giant sequoia.

I wonder that any man, much less a woman, ever observes anything beneath the huge spreading canopy, covering a solid city block at Fiesta Park, except the entrancing beauty of the scene complete. To my mind it is like some happy valley, as it lays smiling in the sun, inviting me to self-forgetfulness in the gladness of its vision.

In the evening when the lights appear at the touch of a switch, it is as though all the stars of heaven had suddenly flung their jewels in the sky without the twilight's soft, slow challenge. In this way the sun appears at the skyline in the sea, and I have seen the flaming morning star thus lift its crimson head where the desert's sands are lost at the rim of the horizon. Sunrise without dawn, stars without twilight and, somewhere in the heart of the Dreamer, that angel who is standing in the sun!

FROM SHUTTLE OF DREAMS.

I know that automobiles are of the stuff that is woven from the shuttle of dreams. I know that they are of that perfect and waiting order, ever unfolding itself in human consciousness which makes men know the touch of the Divine. I understand how, within this order, men step from white sails dipping to wind and wave that they may speed upon the land and how, from the earth, they shall spring lightly to the sky.

From the tedious sail, waiting upon uncertain winds, to the certainty of steam was one step, from steam to electricity was another step and now, with increasing wonder, man turns his dauntless gaze upon the ape etheric, having to do with the intelligent control of a dynamic force more subtle than our senses yet may comprehend.

All of these things I profess to understand in the dim measure that men always comprehend some vast procession as it passes where they stand, and yet, for all the grace and wonder of the hundreds of rare machines now on exhibition at the great motordome, I confess that I had no eyes and little heart for any one of them. Each exquisite moment a silver stream at my feet sang its song of green hills and shaded dells, and all the while a bird in the treetops carrolled the joys of field and sky. The automobiles were near and the people moved among them, but I heard not the men nor beheld the monarchs of speed they had made, while the brook murmured of the meadows it had loved and the bird sang of a brown nest in a live oak where wild grape and sweetbrier breathe their ecstatic perfume upon the night's deep calm and into the pulsing life of day.

BESIDE THE WATERS.

I am not apologizing for myself, nor am I apologizing for the automobile show. I am simply explaining how one who neither knows nor cares about automobiles or automobiling may spend an hour of large happiness and perhaps of utter solitude in the throng at the show.

To the lover of beauty the mountain stream coursing through the snow pebbled way to the splendid falls, like a miniature Niagara, from which the waters rose. The hills about the cataract are only painted ones and yet I am very sure that if a child dared climb them, he would find at least one star-eyed columbine awaiting the caress of eager little hands. Ah me, to think of columbines and then to know how things with wings must feel when they must creep on earth!

True, I am at an automobile show. Dimly, as from the shores of some forgotten past, a woman's voice which melts into the music of the stream breaks my meditations for a moment It is like finding the soul of a machine. From the start I was aware that the psychology of automobiles must be carefully concealed somewhere beneath that great canvas, if only I could find it. I had suspected that it lay not far from the realm that is governed by the law of vibration. I had suspected that the atom we call man had made a fast machine in which he might run his race with the whirling universe. The planets do not move in stately procession about the sun. They spin with a passionate speed. The sun, they say, is twenty-five thousand years completing its burning course about the countless worlds of which we love to dream, but not slowly does it journey, for it is swept along its blazing way upon the wings of light. Therefore, I thought that man had caught the urge and ardor of universal motion and had made his automobile to tally a vibration higher than any he had known before. It may be even so, and yet I think that there is some mysterious beauty lurking in the phrase "the spark

Beautiful Cars Ensconced in Bowers of Greenery and Bloom.

grounds is inevitable and well-nigh ineffable. When I entered the canvas I found myself at the crystal lake where the brook, which had sprung from the city's throbbing heart for one week of happy life in the forest of Christmas trees, lost itself in a mystery of artifice.

From this lake the lotus sprang and beside the sacred lilies of India with the purple glory of their holy bloom, fell intangled masses the broken reeds of water rushes. "Cat tails," we called them in that long ago when a gentle, brown-eyed mother's solicitude and wrath were both forgotten in the exciting venture of securing them.

First my eyes and then my feet followed that merry little stream along its as she, in feminine delight, describes the stately Lozier Limousine as a dream palace of sunny boulevards. Again this delicious enthusiast hovers about a Pierce Arrow electric, much as a humming bird might poise above a spray of jasmine, calling the machine "darling."

From one of the booths comes a splutter attended by a blue flash of light and the main charge patiently explains to one who does not hear that this small spark plug is the heart of the car. For a moment I am interested. At last I have found something bordering upon mechanics which I can almost understand.

"The spark plug is the heart of a car." That is very like poetry to me. plug is the heart of the car." What do you suppose it means? I think it is that a form without the right spark is a dead and useless thing, and when any form is touched by the spark from the heart it responds with wonderful life.

G. L. Hazzard the Redlands agent for Buick automobiles has purchased the Buick model "10" that was used in the Santa Monica Road Race and in the Motordrome races several days following. This car is the one that won the Los Angeles to San Diego and return record and it is Hazzard's intention to lower some of the records around Redlands.

Turns the Trick.

MONEY JINGLES IN HIS POCKET.

FIFTEEN-YEAR OLD BOY TRIMS EXPERIENCED SALESMEN.

Record Made in Lord Motor Car Company Alcove, and Studebaker People Also Make Good With Long List of Purchasers Who'll Have Flyers After Exhibit Closes.

W. V. Lord, 15 years old, won the honors in the Lord Motor Car Company's booth for the first sale of a Flanders car during the show. The auto was taken by William Constable and the hit of the first evening came when the young man took the check to his father, P. A. Lord, who had offered a bonus of $25 to the salesman disposing of the first car. The joke was on the experienced salesmen, who had been trying hard to earn the money.

Only a short time afterward—within 30 minutes from the time Constable purchased his car—other sales were made, but too late to win the prize. Harry Lord made two sales soon after his brother had taken the prize, but failed to get the money. He was proud of the work of the younger lad.

This booth has been the center of activity ever since the exhibit was opened. The crowd has been interested in the Flanders coupe and in the Flanders "Twenty" which is a duplicate of the car that is near the world record. These machines, which are among the lowest-priced motor cars in the exhibit, now hold the record for sales in the big tent.

One of the busiest places in the forest grounds of Fiesta Park is the section where are shown the Studebaker cars—inclusive of the Studebakers, the E. M. F. and the Flanders, made and sold in every shape and style.

This particular section holds a record of selling seven carloads of E. M. F. autos within twenty-four hours after the ceremonies incident to the opening of the big display of licensed cars.

The latest purchases reported by L. J. Ollier, the Los Angeles representative of the Studebakers Brothers factory, include the following:

E. O. Thomas, J. B. Clarke, T. H. Pinsholt, Frank Williams, J. Parkinson, Long Beach; E. W. Davies, J. K. McWilliams, Pomona; F. L. McCrosky, Chino; Mrs. Harthill, Long Beach; James Mills, Los Angeles; Masterson & Day, Ventura; Thomas Towers, Imperial Valley, W. E. Quesnel, Saticoy; B. E. Robinson, Pasadena; Dr. L. L. Day, E. J. Brink, William White, G. P. Chadwick, A. G. Gilbert, P. A. Harvey, Capt. Johnson, C. H. Clark, Jasper Miles, W. M. Baird, Monrovia; Mrs. S. B. Ellis, James Kingsberg, George C. Roy, R. Ormentz, Santa Ana; A. E. Huntington, Upland; C. W. Smith, Ontario; V. G. Lenoz, Oxnard; George N. Fleishner, Fillmore; Charles B. Woods, Howell Wills, Colville Coons, South Pasadena; Mr. McCrey, Corona; George E. Travelyan, Riverside; H. J. Hill, Yuma, Ariz.; P. E. Doughty, Corona; R. E. Saunders, Samuel Johnstone, Whittier; George Jackson, Alhambra; Royal Barber, Artesia; Peter Weisel, Anaheim; Warner Balbriman, San Diego; Frank K. Finn, Ocean Park; E. A. Walton, Fallbrook; James Howard, Robert Hines, Redondo; S. L. Smith, H. P. McQuigg, P. T. Christie, Glendale; G. K. Usher, Burbank; J. T. Altridge, W. Constable, H. T. Henderson, W. P. Kime, W. W. Thompson, H. G. Brainard, Thomas Abbott, Theodore Seidel, Mrs. Grace Bowden, H. Craig, Mrs. Gertrude McDowell, H. L. Bebee, E. T. Nurse, Los Angeles; R. O. Evans, Venice, and Walter P. Sitts, Balboa Beach.

Abe May Emigrate.

Abe Attell may visit Paris this winter, also London. If he goes to the British metropolis the National Sporting Club and Promoter Hugh McIntosh will try to arrange a fight between the American featherweight champion and Jem Driscoll. Attell is after big money and isn't afraid of Driscoll, or Freddie Welsh for that matter, so that if the offers are big enough he may consent to show how he can hit, stop and get-away.

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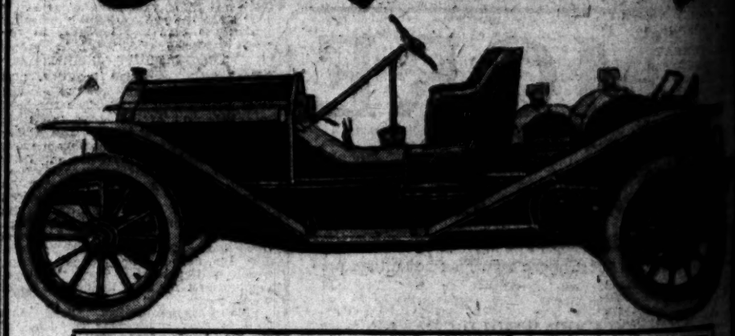

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FIESTA SHOW SIGHTS.

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now few in number, but the cars tells a different story to many who visit the Fiesta exhibit. It means power to climb hills, power to roam over the sands, and power to tear through the deepest mud puddles.

This car, the spirit of speed, can be controlled to a notch, that will accord with all the ordinances in the city and the visitors at Fiesta are pleased that so high grade a motor can be tamed to a reasonable limit. Races may go after records with this car but not a person will be harmed, he states.

This automobile show is teaching the public much. The desire to send a car at terrific speed over the streets is almost a back number. The dealers at Fiesta do not impress upon the visitors the speed of their cars as much as they do the simplicity of operation and the perfection of the motor.

Again the lower-powered cars are making a hit as they never did before. There is no desire to break road records at Fiesta for a while, as the dealers are enjoying the show so much that they are jealous of the time it takes to smash a road mark.

GLIDDEN CAR.

Over in the Chalmers booth is an interesting display. The Chalmers, a duplicate of the car that won the Glidden trophy this year, is one of the attractions. This car is finished in red and is one of the stylish machines of the show. It has caught the eye of many who a year ago would have chosen a more somber hue for the touring car.

The Chalmers coupe is a beauty. This inclosed car is so easily operated that almost any woman can drive the machine. It is useful for down town shopping and good for long drives outside of the city. It is ideal for a garage car that you may need when the sun is not shining. It is comfortable and easy riding.

In the Premier booth the car which holds the attention is the four-cylinder Premier which A. L. Westgard drove across the United States. It is dressed in the same clothes it wore when it reached this city after the long strenuous 4000-mile tour across the highways and along the Santa Fe trail.

This car has made a record that is unique in motor annals and the local Premier agency is glad of the mark established by this late model car, one of the many Premier motors that have made good on the roughest of roads. In addition to this is a classy exhibit which commands the attention of many who visit the exhibit midway along the wide aisle leading to the accessory display at the upper end of the hall.

BEATS THE CARS.

The Brush, exhibited by Y. R. Del Valle, is the smallest car in the show. This one-cylinder machine holds the attention of many who are not satisfied with the street-car service. One man was observed yesterday in the Brush alcove busily figuring. When asked by a friend to explain what he was doing he said he was proving to himself that it would be cheaper to buy a Brush than to pay carfare. Del Valle had made an interesting talk.

Over in the Autocar display M. S. Bulkey holds forth each day to a large number who are interested in his line. The cars this year are more classy than ever and have attracted a large number who believe the Autocar will suit them perfectly. This display is made for the first time in the licensed exhibit and is worth seeing.

THIS CHIEF BUSY.

P. H. Greer, the show committee chief, has many things to do beside spend his time in the Mitchell booth. The Greer-Robbins display claims a large number, but the head of the committee is most of the time in the alcove near the entrance arranging the details of the exhibit.

Here is a man who has shown his class in the present exhibit. He has willingly given his time to making this display as handsome as possible and has also made one of the largest exhibits in the show. He is doing this for honor and glory and is getting his share of praise which he is loath to accept.

Another show committeeman who is zealous in his work is W. A. Shafer, who is unable to spend much time in the Glide booth. He is busy paying bills and as treasurer of the Show Committee must handle a large amount of money. Already the expenses are about $25,000 and now that the dollars are rolling back Shafer is anxious to see how the dealers will come out at the finish.

Charles Cotton is the Beau Brummel of the committee. He is proud of the Locomobile tourer, one of the handsomest torpedoes in the show. This car, a five-passenger body, is equipped with all the latest accessories possible and looks the part of a high class machine at a price that pleases.

In addition to his other duties Cotton must convene from time to time with the Show Committee. He is ready with ideas, which, though they are expensive, usually look good to the committeemen. He is entertaining and holds sway in the booth of the Los Angeles Motor Car Company a large part of each day.

Ralph Hamlin is the "air-cooled kid" of the show. He is having the time of his life and though he is interested in the bird men he has remained in charge of his booth even while world records for altitude were being shattered. The Franklin display is interesting and holds many of the air-cooled devotees. In addition to his duties in the booth Ralph is obliged to confer with the committee from time to time. Here he has made good. He has put his foot on the "soft pedal" from time to time and has helped the dealers to save money. Ralph is one of the hustlers who is doing much to make a success of the show.

BUYS EVERITT.

The Peerless exhibit is one of the high-class displays at Fiesta. The cars are shown in four and six-cylinder models and look particularly good. H. O. Harrison has come from San Francisco for this exhibit. He is pleased with the display and is willing to spend most of his time showing the new nineteen-eleven models to the crowd.

Bernal Dyas purchased the handsome fore-door Everitt yesterday, the stylish tourer which holds an important place in the Harrison Company's display. The sale was made after a short discussion of the merits of the motor and after the show the car is to be delivered.

ATHLETE IN TROUBLE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Policeman Matthew McGrath, champion hammer thrower of the world, waived examination and was held to await the action of the grand jury when arraigned today before Magistrate Hylan, for having shot George Walker, whom the athlete found in his home. Walker was wounded five times, and there is only a fair chance of his recovery. He declares that Mrs. McGrath invited him to her home to see a Christmas tree that she had decorated. He was looking at the tree when McGrath entered and, he declares, first beat and then shot him.

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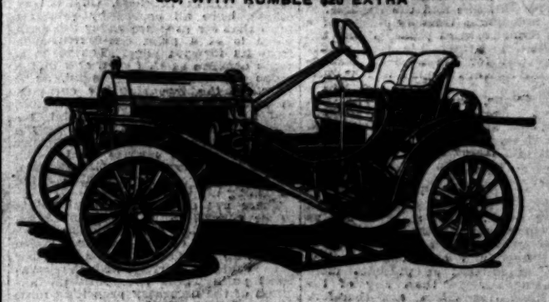

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THE REASON AN AEROPLANE FLIES

The Why and Wherefore of the Heavier-Than-Air Machine Explained.

By JACK BALL.

"What keeps it up?" is the natural question prompted by the first sight of a thousand pound aeroplane gracefully sailing through the air, to all appearances quite contrary to the laws of gravitation. The art of aviation has progressed in such an extraordinary manner that we know a flying machine will not only keep in the air, but it is capable of being directed back and forth, up and down, just as the aviator wills. Notwithstanding these remarkable tactics, the average reader of the daily paper is quite at loss to understand "how 'tis done," and this paper is written to explain in ordinary everyday English—avoiding the usual technicalities—the why and wherefore of the sustention of the aeroplane in midair.

Now, the recognized flying machine of the present day is practically divided into three classes—the monoplane, the biplane and the triplane.

The monoplane consists chiefly of a single main forward plane, a long tail to which is attached a rear rudder and control for the sake of balancing, and forward engine and propeller.

The biplane, as its name suggests, has two superposed planes with front control and horizontal rudder and tail, to which is affixed a rear vertical rudder. Its motor drives one or more propellers, while the Curtiss machine has but one.

The triplane is built similarly to the biplane, but with the addition of another plane. This style is not so much in vogue as the two former, but nevertheless, has its admirers in both Europe and America. Its chief attraction is that it presents more supporting surface than any of the lesser planed machines, and therefore should command greater stability.

The best known of this type is the Avroplane designed and built by Mr. A. V. Roe, of England. Mr. Roe has brought the triplane to this country and will exhibit and demonstrate the same at the International Aviation Meeting at Belmont Park, and at other similar, though lesser exhibitions in the States.

It is usually somewhat difficult for the unscientific mind to grasp the meaning of some of the terminology expressed in the various treatises on aerodynamics, therefore, in endeavoring an explanation of the rudiments of the art of aviation, the reader must first of all establish in his own mind the fact that the thin medium, air, is not so "thin" as the ordinary man in the street supposes.

THE RESTLESS AIR.

Air is the most sensitive of fluids. It is in a constant turmoil, and in the words (translated) of Louis Paulhan is "always seething, boiling and whirling." To the aviator it presents air mountains, over which he must fly, and air valleys through which he must glide. There are rapids and cataracts, whirlpools and eddies, even as Niagara. The ocean at its roughest is not to be compared with the constantly changing motions of the air, and be it remembered, every such variance must be met with momentary adjustment of the different controls by the aviator.

With the difficulties of these dangerous air currents to be surmounted, it will be readily seen that flying is a science that can have been attained only through extensive and daring experiments.

In the words of Webster, the air is "invisible, inodorous, insipid, transparent, compressible, elastic and ponderable," and it is its elasticity and compressibility that has to be considered in expounding the newest of all sciences, aerial navigation.

In the first place, an aeroplane (aerial plane) is any flattened surface propelled or hurled through the air, and as an instance of this take the small boy who is seen skimming a piece of slate or a flat stone along and above the surface of the water. The reason the missile does not immediately sink into the water is that the force with which it is thrown, acting in unison with the pressure of air in the space between the bottom of the stone and surface of the water, is such as to cause a sustaining power, and so it glides along until the air resistance reduces the rate of the propelling force so much as to lessen the sustaining force, and gravitation gradually draws the heavier body down through the lighter.

It will be noted that the amount of air beneath the stone, although compressed, cannot be at once displaced to admit of the stone falling directly into the water, and the flying body is kept on an "even keel," as it were, until the force is expended. In something the same way a person is enabled to skate on thin ice—the speed at which he moves preventing his weight taking effect on any one particular spot—so he is able to slide with safety upon ice that is not strong enough to bear his stationary weight. These examples illustrate the principles of the flying machine.

The word "aeroplane," it should be mentioned, is a misnomer, for there are no planes, they are all curves, and are fashioned to suit, from a scientific point of view, the vagaries of the air pressure.

GLIDING.

Before a motor was ever installed in any heavier-than-air machines, men interested in the science, had at various times and in different countries, undertaken very extensive experiments in gliding. The German, Lilienthal, Mr. Octave Chanute, the late Mr. Langley, Sir Hiram Maxim, in addition to the Wright Brothers, Curtiss and others, have all proved by elaborate tests that air pressure under the main plane is at a point one-fourth back from its forward edge. The plane is made concave at this spot, and in the space are caught the rebound, as it were, of the inrushing air currents, in which are "bottled up" and twirling and rotating within the partial inclosure, act as an aid in sustaining the craft in flight, for the air rushing over the curved surface of the top of the plane forms a partial vacuum, which makes room for the outlet of the inrushing air beneath.

There are always two vital points to be considered in the construction of the successful flying machine. One is the center of air pressure, which has an upward tendency, and the other is the center of gravity, with the downward pull. These two, with the addition of the necessary propelling force of a motor or motors, comprise the secret of flight, but the essential point in the construction of the flying machine is the location of the center of air pressure in relation to that of gravity, care being taken to preserve coincidence of these two factors.

Were the planes—planes in reality, and the aeroplane was propelled straight through the air, the two centers would be at the same point, and if the condition of the wind and propelling force remained unchanged, the aeroplane would always have a perfect equilibrium.

The ever changing currents of air, however, have a tendency to upset the stability, and in endeavoring to preserve this condition, the aviator has to resort to his front control or horizontal rudder, tilting it for and upward effect and deflecting the same for a downward course.

WARPING THE WINGS.

As well for the purpose of equilibrium, attachments at the ends of the main planes are brought into use. In the case of the Wrights, a system of warping the wings is patented by them. Curtiss and others acquire lateral stability by the use of small intermediate planes, placed between and at the end of the main planes. Other inventors again, as seen in the Henry Farman biplane, have adopted a system of ailerons (little wings,) which are hinged to the extreme ends and rear of the main planes. These are of course brought into requisition in describing circles or making turns, allowing the machine to "bank" (similarly to a bicycle in taking a corner,) and in ascending. In this action the miniature wings at the outside are elevated and those on the inside are depressed until the turn is negotiated.

The propelling force of the aeroplane is obtained by a specially constructed light motor, acting on a propeller or propellers. In all biplanes these propellers are towards the rear of the main plane, while in monoplanes the propeller is in the front, "pulling" the machine after it.

Those who have watched the aeroplane commence its flight will have noticed that it is made to run along the ground for a short distance, with its front control pointed downward, until sufficient speed has been attained (acting in unison with the upward pressure of air,) for its sustention, when the control is tilted upward, and the machine rises in the air. The Wright Brothers originally used a cumbersome starting device to aid in this respect, but they have recently adopted the popular feature of wheels to the chassis, and these, in conjunction with their much fancied slides, enable their type of biplane to start a flight without the assistance of any ground fixture.

Such are the general priciples of the flying machine and the cause of its ability to keep in the air. With the remarkable progress that is being made from day to day in aviation, it would appear that the future of the aeroplane is absolutely unlimited.

GLIDDEN TOUR.

(Continued from First Page.)

M., down to Phoenix, Ariz., and over the desert to Los Angeles.

No tour that has ever been held has attracted so much attention as the Glidden. Cars of all makes, from the highest to some of the lowest-priced machines have been entered. The committee has always chosen a course where the roads are good, bad and indifferent. The stability of the motor car has been tested and proved.

There is no route, however, autoists agree, that would try a motor car as thoroughly as a cross-country run from New York to Los Angeles. Over the route followed by A. L. Westgard, president of the Touring Club of America, when he drove his Premier four-cylinder from New York to Los Angeles, the cars could be sent. Observers would have an interesting drive and the route would be the most scenic in the entire country.

At certain seasons of the year the rains in some districts might prevent the holding of such a tour, think some, but the last Glidden was held when the water came down in torrents and the cars were sent hub deep in mire through almost bottomless country turnpikes. Should the contest be held this year in the middle of June, as in previous Glidden runs, the cars could be taken across the continent when the elements are most favorable. The stiff grades of the Rocky Mountains and the Coast Range could be crossed and the cars be sent over a stretch of desert country, where the engines could be tested thoroughly.

The East and West would be joined as it never has been before in the automotive history. Now that the market of the Pacific Coast is being recognized and the demand for motor cars is so great in Southern California, the factory men of the East could be persuaded, it is believed, to take the trip to the coast in a motor car. From the Atlantic to the Pacific in a gasoline coach would be a drive worth trying.

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FIELD NEWS OF ATHLETES.

PROBLEM FOR THE AMERICAN OLYMPIC COMMITTEE.

Cleveland Shifts Its Meet to 1914. Lean Year in the Record Making Line Abroad — Canadians Will Wait for the Passing of Sullivan. Other Gossip.

There is now not the least doubt but the United States will send a big team to the Olympic games at Stockholm, and from now on the American Olympic Committee will have its hands full of arranging the details of the trip. To judge from what has already been said on the subject the biggest team that ever left America will be mustered and enough men will be taken to cover every event on the programme with first and second strings. In all about sixty picked cracks will represent the Stars and Stripes, so that if two events of a kind should clash or come the same day there will be separate men for each.

At the last Olympic games in England there was some trouble about the entries and the tryouts, and in 1906 the team had to be taken on chance without any tryouts on account of the early date of the Athens festival. It promises to be the same case with Sweden, for it is understood now that the games will be the first week in June or the end of May. As the entries will have to be in at least a month ahead this would mean that the tryouts would have to take place about the end of April, something which would not be the best for the boys here. Around that time each year the crack performers are in their very worst condition after being fagged out from the indoor work and are usually about beginning to sneak out in the open to get a sniff of the ozone.

Another thing which would be against the early trials is the state of the ground at that season of the year. Tracks in the East are generally wet and soggy, but this could be overcome by going a little south for the tryouts. A member of the Olympic Committee remarked casually a few days ago that the tryout meet could be taken to Jamestown, Va., the location being only one day's journey from the metropolis. The question of the tryouts and their location is not half as important as the fact that the team could not have the services of the college men if the games are held in either the latter part of May or the first week in June. Just then every quarter of the United States is preparing for the college meets and every institution will need its best men and they would not consent to let them go abroad on a team.

When the team went to Athens, R. R. Parsons of Yale was the only notable collegian and he had a hard time to get away from his studies, and he had a still harder time getting home in time for the Yale-Harvard dual meet, which came a week or so before the intercollegiate championships. He took a hurried departure from Athens immediately after the 800 meters. Two years ago the American Olympic team had plenty of college material to draw from, as the intercollegiate meet was over in the East and the conference championships in the West and out as far as the Pacific Coast the college men were just fresh from their spell of spring work and thoroughly keyed up. Perhaps the Swedish games may not be so early and may go till July, and the later the date the better for the American team and those interested on this side of the water.

The latest report from Cleveland is that the Forest City has abandoned the idea of the Olympic games for 1916 but will inaugurate an American Olympic festival for 1914, two years earlier. Germany was supposed to have a promise for the games of 1914, but it appears Italy has loomed up as a candidate, and as the Italians passed up the meet of 1908 they are of the opinion that their turn should come after Sweden.

The Italians have selected Rome as the venue, and next to Athens it would be the most historically appropriate location for an athletic festival. No country in Europe has taken to the athletic fad as quickly as Italy, and being a hardy race and not over-burdened with wealth they are in time bound to unearth some good athletic material. Not a few of the Italians have shown that they possess speed and stamina, so it is unknown what they might do when better developed. As far as the Cleveland meet of 1914 is concerned there is no reason why it should not take place. Such a fixture has caught the favor of the Cleveland residents and plans for the fixture have reached an advanced stage.

It would not be in the power of the International Olympic Committee to have a word to say against the Cleveland festival, and it is not improbable that it may receive an indorsement, as it would do the cause of international sport no harm whatever. Some time next June the Olympic Committee will hold its annual conclave at Berlin, when America will have the opportunity of presenting its claim for the indorsement of the 1914 celebration. The Cleveland people want the exact programme of the Olympic games, and it is said that there will be an attractiv side show in the shape of an aviation meet.

The approach of the New Year is England always brings to light the number of athletic records made the previous season. This time the new marks are by no means numerous but it is a fact that the Britishers are very slow to accept new marks, especially when it is some standard competition. They will have to be supplied with pretty strong evidence, and the meet will have to be a recognized one, and the men officiating must be well-known for their efficiency. G. R. L. Anderson of Oxford University got his record for the 440-yard hurdles, the time being fifty-six and four-fifths seconds over flights three feet high. The record of three minutes ten and three-fifths seconds for the three-quarter mile run by E. Owen of the Broughton Harriers was passed. The claims of a couple of the long distance walkers were held over for investigation.

At the last meeting of the English A. A. A. the Canadian A. A. U. applied for a working agreement with the English body. It was not granted, but with several other similar applications it was turned over to a committee which will report to the national association some time during the summer. That means a nice quiet comfortable shelve for the Canadian application. Some time ago a friendly Canuck suggested to the Canadian A. A. U. that it form an alliance with the A. A. U. of the United States; that the compact would prove beneficial to both sides. The Canadian A. A. U. said nay, they would wait till James E. Sullivan retired from the United States A. A. U. A man who saw the remark said that they would be as beardy as the Druids of old if they waited for the passing of Sullivan.

Almost everybody interested in track and field sports on both sides of the Atlantic knows the Rev. R. S. de Courcy Laffan, honorary secretary of the British Olympic Committee. He has been interested in athletics all his life and is a close student of everything touching on the subject. As to whether or not too much time is devoted to games he has the following to say:

"If by giving too much time to sport you mean actually engaging in sport, I think we want a great many more facilities and a great deal more encouragement among the mass of people. I do not say that there are not people in this country who are giving too much time to sport, because there are. If, however, you take people as a whole I think they want more opportunities for sport.

"On the other hand, I feel very strongly that as in the same way you cannot ask another man to eat your dinner you cannot hire another man to do your sport for you, but that is what we are tending to in this country. One should go to see a great runner run, a swimmer swim or a team of first-class footballers play football so as to get an idea of the standard to be aimed at. One should see how a thing is done at its best so that one may do better than one did before, but if one's whole interest in sport is merely that of looking on, then too much time is given to it today. Too much time is now spent by people looking on who should be actively engaged in sport and for whom facilities should be provided which they do not now possess.

"With regard to the need for sport it is only necessary to call attention to the physique of the average London crowd, and that proves that sport is the very thing that is wanted to develop the right type of man, a type of man who is able to do his day's work all the better because he has had opportunities to develop his physical powers. I have had the pleasure of working in a Territorial battalion with a company from the Regent street Polytechnic, and it is quite marked, the superior capacity of the men from there, most of them athletes, both in marching and in other departments of Territorial activity.

"What we want is more actual participation instead of looking on. If sport and athletics generally are simply a show, then I do not see the use of them. If those who watch them are stimulated to take part in them, then there is use in the exhibition side of sport. I should very much like to see an attempt made in this country to promote the all-round athlete. It is very difficult to see how this is to be done with our different governing associations, but I should like to see some sort of athletic badge given in our schools for the fellow who can run 100 yards.

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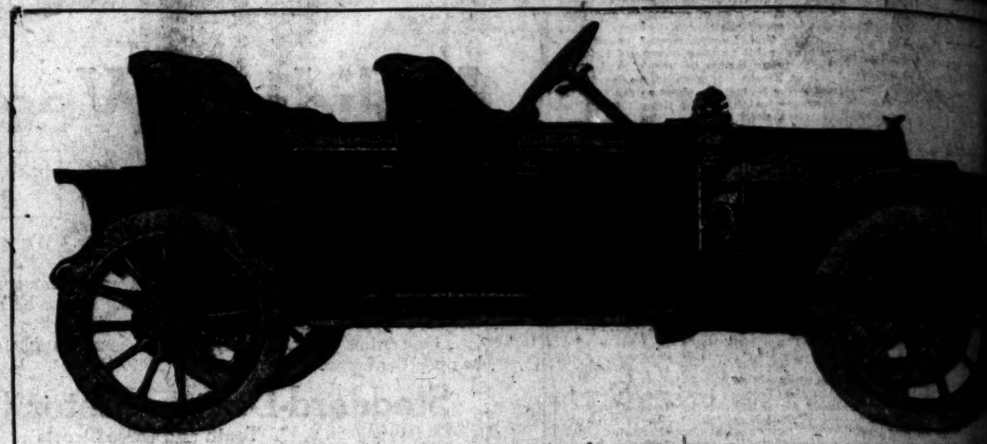

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DAY LIFE OF THE CITY.

BY A CLUBMAN.

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... last night the Flanders ... showed that it had gone ... something over 9679 miles. The drivers were cautioned not to overspeed the machine and shatter the world's record until noon today, in order that the representatives of the company might witness the completion of the feat.

The car will be put across "the line" by either "Bill" La Casse or Carey King. The driver and the observers will be the unfortunates to miss the mid-day dinner.

Four persons have already made heavy bids for the non-stop car, and in the three nights that the auto show has been open they have raised their offers to obtain the machine. It is possible that the motor will keep running for many weeks yet, and if the record becomes phenomenally broken, the Flanders may well be an exhibit at eastern shows.

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... a harem with him. ... Orient and Occident ... train. They wore the ... that were secured ... Eagle when the late Sul... ... throne. Some of ... all but the eyes, but ... and fascinating. ... their robes were filled ... which they exchanged ...

... is seated in a hou... ... the naked backs of ... wild Nubians clothed ... leopard skins with ... on ankles and ... group of blacks with ... carried the chair of ... the harem.

... procession was headed ... a South Sea ... slant a perch upon ... balanced them... ... As the leader ... the curtained arch in ... the birds left their ... to the curtain pole ... on the programme ... the dog and pony ... helped to start the ... rouse the band— ... it was a full band, ... be the soberest ... line. C. H. Stewart ... rose and a silk hat, ... a silk hat and ... Others were be... according to their ... beauty.

... first of the cam... He started with a pyrotechnic burst of eloquence about his candidate.

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"R-r-r-r-rawk," shrieked one of the parrots derisively and the crowded dining room became a pandemonium of laughter, shouts and jeers. The parrot was so encouraged by its success that it had to be removed before the speaker could continue. Judge Gibson followed with a brilliant oration.

"I represent," he said, "one of the most unworthy candidates who ever came before a people seeking votes. He is thoroughly dishonest and will not keep one of his election promises. He was born on the border line of France and Germany and not only his nativity but his citizenship is in doubt. Why cast your votes elsewhere when you have a candidate with all these qualifications for the highest gift in the hands of the voters.

What shall we say of these other aspirants? There is Busted Virtue Collins—Beautiful Voluptuous Collins his admirers call him. Will you throw away your votes on another might-have-been? Or Pillsbury—Pillsbury with his cry of "Give the Corporations a Chance."

Nagle then attempted to speak for himself. If I were to attempt a reproduction it would simply look like a line of pied type and undoubtedly lose the compositor or the proof-reader his job, so I will merely explain that the man to be elected Pooh Bah doesn't necessarily have to have any more than the broken rudiments of a language to qualify.

Such was the climax of Nagle's brilliant campaign. What Collins will do today or Pillsbury tomorrow to equal it, is difficult to conceive of. And how Freeman Teed can expect to produce a programme tomorrow night for the real jinks that will eclipse the whole thing is more of a mystery. Yet I am reliably informed that for a real Arabian Nights revelry nothing has ever approached the coming jinks. Frank Egan has a bunch of Parisian beauties for the vaudeville show that promises a night of destruction.

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The Jonathan Club has not entirely monopolized the holiday festivity. On the same night with their jinks occurs the directors' dinner to the members of the Sierra Madre Club. This event is to have its serious as well as its frivolous side. The youngest of the big down town clubs will consider plans for building a half-million dollar building of its own during the next year. If this ambitious project carries, it will be christened right after the dinner and the coming of a promising new year will be celebrated at the same time. That ought to suggest a rather late session and a gala day for the Sierra Madre men.

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There seems to be no reason why the Warren should not equal or break the world record, but a problem is offered. With the car forging ahead at great speed and with the Flanders also in the race, the public is watching a contest for an honor which it is hard for any one car to achieve. Two Los Angeles machines are out after the mark of 10,074 miles held by the Maxwell.

There are many things which might happen in a run for such a mark. A spark plug might put the finish to the race, the ignition system might cause the motor to stop, or the constant vibration when the car is spinning at the rate of 400 miles a day might end it.

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The run is held on a square basis, and if the world mark comes to Los Angeles through either the Warren-Detroit or the Flanders the automobile men of this city will be glad.

MENTAL TREAMENT.

Officer Fullerton of the S.P.C.A. spent the entire day yesterday serving subpoenas on the persons who are to appear as witnesses at the trial of Martin Bekins in the University Police Court today. About twelve witnesses will be called in an effort to prove that Bekins tried to cure a sick horse with "mental science" instead of the older and accepted form of medical treatment.

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Causing Worry.

HEAVERS' BOX IS TOO LOFTY.

Opposition to Raised Mound Is Increasing.

Advocates of Change Assert Boxmen Are Favored.

Batters Are Intimidated By Down-Hill Ball.

A baseball statistician has figured it out that since 1872, when the records were first kept, 600 batsmen have faced the major league pitchers, and only 450 of them have shown averages of .300 or more. Ever since the National League was organized in 1876 the effectiveness of the pitcher has gradually increased in spite of rules passed to bring about more batting.

Nine balls originally entitled a hitter to a base, but the number was soon cut to six, then to four, while one year the strikes were increased from three to four. The adoption of the foul-strike rule, however, has handicapped the batsman and has been of correspondingly benefit to the boxman.

In doing away with intentional delay the rule has been a pronounced success, but the records show that in recent years the batting has decreased in strength, until last season the pitchers had a greater advantage than ever before.

President Johnson of the American League, who is a close student of baseball, says he is opposed to changes in the present playing code, and Umpire Hank O'Day, who suggested the foul-strike rule, supports Johnson in this contention. Other baseball men, including Comiskey, Connie Mack, Chance, Fred Clarke and Clark Griffith, hold similar opinions as far as the suggestion to reduce called balls to three and increase strikes to four is concerned. But all of these men are busy thinking over the proposition which involves the renewal of the raised pitcher's box, this change was not suggested until recently, and it has found so many advocates that at the meeting of the Joint Rules Committee of the big leagues it will doubtless receive serious consideration. The raised box has been generally overlooked, but the rule permitting it has been violated in so many instances that the matter is now widely discussed.

With the mound built up so that the top of it is two feet higher than the home plate and the three corners of the diamond pitchers now have a tremendous advantage. Those who employ speed a greater part of the time are enabled to intimidate batsmen by driving the ball down hill with terrific momentum. They are in a position to cut the corners of the plate better, and in that way can keep control of the ball with more effective results.

UNFAIR ADVANTAGE.

By putting the pitcher on a level with the batsman it is argued that the batter would go to the plate with more confidence, and that the hitting therefore would be increased to a marked degree. The pitcher would be unable to enjoy an unfair advantage and would be forced to exercise more care in his delivery.

It is pointed out that such men as Matheson, Coombs and Johnson would not have so many batsmen at their mercy and that with more hitting the games would be livelier from the spectators' standpoint. Baseball men who have looked into this matter assert that there is no good reason why the pitcher's box should be raised at all, unless it is for the purpose of keeping the hitters in subjection.

When the box was on a plane with the plate there was plenty of first-class pitching, but the records show that the batting was heavier and that runs were more plentiful. The raised box, it is said, was originated by the old Baltimores of fifteen years ago and it has been a growing evil ever since.

That the average manager believes that the success of his team depends chiefly upon the effectiveness of his pitchers is shown by the fact that he uses the number of twirlers are carried nowadays than was the case in the past. Then three or four first-class pitchers were sufficient, whereas nowadays a major league team is not considered well equipped unless seven or eight boxmen are on the payroll. The argument that good pitchers make a winning team is illustrated by the success of the Athletics, winners of the recent world's series. Minus such great hurlers as Coombs, Bender, Plank and Morgan, Connie Mack's team would not have captured the series with the Cubs, whose pitching staff was made up of inferior or weakened timber.

Common sense shows that the ability to keep opponents from making hits and runs is the most important factor in developing a championship team, yet it is argued that in accomplishing such results pitchers should not be allowed to have unnatural advantages over the men who handle the bat. That is why the present crusade against the raised box, the elimination of which would decrease the pitcher's effectiveness, has assumed such vigorous proportions.

Attractive.

BUICKS MAKE FINE DISPLAY.

TROPHIES AND CARS A CARD UNDER THE CANVAS.

Howard Comes to Enjoy Exhibit of New Model Motors, and Expects to Make Record Sales This Week. Already Reports a Strong Demand for Cars.

C. S. Howard, president of the Howard Automobile Company, agents and distributors for the Buick and Oldsmobile lines, is in Los Angeles for the Licensed Dealers' Automobile Show. Howard was at the show last year, and took orders for forty-three cars during the week. This is the only time of the year Howard has of meeting all of his agents at the same time, and it is expected that twice as many orders will be taken this year.

On Tuesday last the Howard Automobile Company received the Buick Motor Company's collection of cups and trophies for which they have been patiently awaiting for some time. Immediately they were unpacked, and a stand made in the shape of a quarter of a circle. This stand, when finished necessarily took up a big space in the park, as it is to accommodate one hundred trophies. The Show Committee objected to it on the ground that being so large it would obscure too much scenery. Their ultimatum was that the cups must be exhibited on tables. This, from Howard's view point, would make what he believed to be one of the handsomest exhibits look like a bargain day sale. It nearly broke Howard's heart, and he finally prevailed upon the august body of the Show Committee a compromise in that he cut the stand in two parts which would be placed far enough apart to allow the car which has won a number of the victories to be shown between.

Jack Eagle, who formerly was an automobile salesman in San Francisco, is now connected with the Howard Motor Car Company and is to handle the Oldsmobile line. Eagle is manager of the Olds department and expects to make his home in Los Angeles.

In the week of time, and after a record run of thirteen days from the factory, the new line of 1911 Buick cars arrived in Los Angeles. They were unloaded in post haste under the supervision of Manager Frank Howard.

Practically all of the Howard Auto Company's agents eagerly sought a first view of the cars they have so long awaited, and exclamations of satisfaction were heard on every side as each successive model was taken from the car.

Refinements of detail and beauty of body lines characterize the 1911 Buick. From the "Gadabout," the distinctive little roadster, to the model "39," a luxurious car of the touring type with fore doors, combining a degree of style, power and speed unequaled in its class.

When the model "32" was unloaded, Howard booked orders for no less than twenty-two of these $1050 cars on the spot. This is the smallest of the four models of touring cars produced by the Buick Motor Company this year, and promises to exceed the wonderful run of sales of the Buick White Streak during 1910.

After over a year's most successful business in their present location, No. 1142 South Olive street, the Howard Auto Company have concluded negotiations with the owners, for the entire building on the corner of Tenth and Olive streets known as the Motor mart and now occupied by representatives of five makes of cars. Although their present location has long since been inadequate for the record breaking business of the Buick line, the lately acquired Oldsmobile agency has made this change imperative.

HOW CURTISS SAVED THE DAY.

Now blow the bugles, bang the drums, and sound the shrieking pipes!
The European Powers have sworn to down the Stars and Stripes.
Thro' Suez and the Torres Straits their course the ships have curled,
And o'er the blue Pacific sail the navies of the world.

Point Loma flashed the signal when she saw in line advance
The Dreadnoughts of Great Britain, and the turret ships of France;
The German admiral replied in mocking words of scorn,
For all the U. S. battle-ships were cruising off Cape Horn.

Next morning Newport saw the smoke and heard the sirens screech;
The Russian flag was floating free above Redondo Beach;
Great Britain, France and Germany had seized San Pedro Bay,
And at the mercy of their guns the Angel City lay.

Yet "no surrender!" is the clarion cry of one and all,
Mayor Alexander swears to die within his city hall;
The golfers at the Country Club give one defiant yell,
As on the heights of Pico burst the first invading shell.

But while the shower of shot and shrapnel never seemed to cease,
While frantic women rushed about and called for the police,
While every Angeleno swore to die but never yield,
One silent figure stalked alone upon Dominguez field.

He knew behind Point Firmin all the hostile ships were bunched,
He guessed that much good property was being hourly scrunched,
He mused on Uncle Sam's fine fleet far off across the main,
And tuned the petrol motor of his mighty aeroplane.

That night as seaward Wollaber upturned his weather eye,
He thought he saw near Wilmington a new star in the sky;
And thro' the wireless ether-waves this message came his way,
"Glenn Curtiss left at ten o'clock. Take heart! he'll save the day."

At twelve p.m., while France and England framed a protocol,
Demanding as indemnity a billion dollar roll,
A bomb from out the vault of heaven, hurled by a hand unseen,
Dropped on the British flag ship and blew up the magazine.

O then? mild cries of treachery were roared from angry throats,
And furious passions blazed at once among the allied boats;
The British, when their flag ship sunk, no power their wrath could quench,
They promptly shelled the Germans and the Germans shelled the French.

The Jap fleet off Point Firmin, when they heard the fearful fray,
Torpedoed everything in sight and quickly steamed away.
So off the rocks of Dead-Man's Isle the last great Dreadnought sunk
And Europe's bold Armada was a heap of useless junk.

* * *

Our Mayor rewarded Curtiss with a twenty-story block,
Two Hill street lots, an orchard and some Owens River stock;
He made him Captain of Police, in honor of his feat,
And Broadway was abolished and became Glenn Curtiss street.

HARRY F. BOWLING.

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At the Licensed Dealers' Auto Show Fiesta Park 190 cars shown were equipped with Pneumatic Tires.

47, or nearly 25 per cent were Diamond Tires. The remainder were divided among eleven competitors.

Diamond Tires led their nearest competitor by 62 per cent!

At the Shrine Auditorium Show Los Angeles, Diamond Tires equipped over 25 per cent of the total number of cars exhibited, the remainder being divided among ten competitors.

At the Oakland Auto Show Diamond Tires equipped 36 per cent of the total number of cars exhibited, leading their nearest competitor by 137 per cent.

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Time 32 hours 35 minutes, beating all previous records by 6 hours, 32 minutes.

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SEE US AT THE BIG SHOW THIS WEEK.

TOUGH ESKIMO BABIES.

Are Seldom Washed, and Are Frequently Very Scantily Clothed Even When the Temperature Is at Zero.

What do we know of the childhood of the Eskimo in his natural state? He is certainly not born with the proverbial silver spoon in his mouth, says the Wide World Magazine. Silver and gold are practically unknown quantities in Eskimo land. Riches—as civilization understands riches—have no attraction for the little man. The height of his ambition probably is, to have plenty of seal meat to eat and sufficient bearskins to make his clothes. His Eskimo superstition says it makes babies cross to wash them, so the youngster has to get accustomed to dirt and make the best of it. I once came across an Eskimo child several weeks old that had never been washed. I have reason to believe that it was by no means an isolated case. In this instance I succeeded by stealth in getting the baby washed. Wishing to employ the mother for a short time, I persuaded her to give her baby into the care of a Christian Eskimo woman, and, having accomplished that, the remainder was an easy matter.

The wife hunted up some baby's clothing, and she and the Christian Eskimo together undertook the task of spring cleaning the poor little bairn. When the mother returned she was delighted to see her child looking so nice, and, far from being offended, she was profuse with her thanks. I never heard that the baby was cross or that it cried more after that much needed tubbing.

Some one will probably exclaim: "But how can a baby possibly thrive in so much dirt and filth?" Yet they do thrive, and it is surprising what chubby, fat-faced babies one sees among the heathen Eskimo, in spite of the dirt. The baby's clothing is often very scanty; in fact, one occasionally sees a baby being carried in its mother's hood with only a cotton shirt on, despite the fact that the thermometer registers 20 degrees below zero. The mother's hood is the baby's cradle. Being made of seal or deer skin, it is warm and windproof; the infant also has the benefit of the heat of the mother's body and is out of harm's way. If it was laid in a basket cradle in the tent it would be very much in the way and would always be in danger of falling a prey to the wolfish Eskimo dogs that prowl around the door by day and night, every ready to pick up a dainty morsel.

WOLGAST AIMS HIGH.

CADILLAC (Mich.) Dec. 27.—"I haven't had any offer from Moran to fight in London," said Ad Wolgast, when shown a telegram last night to the effect that Owen Moran, in Pittsburgh, had received an offer of a $15,000 purse for a battle with Wolgast in the British capital.

"Fifteen thousand dollars would be no inducement whatever for me to cross the ocean to fight, if divided in the ordinary way. If, however, Moran can guarantee me $15,000, win, lose or draw, in any number of rounds, I will accept his offer."

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...n League Clubs Are in Good Shape.

Chance For Recruits to Become Regulars.

Mack Says Athletics Again Will Win.

...is unusually large number ...should happen to make ...the spring, it looks as ...of the American league ...would, take the field next ...each in the same way that ...last fall. From gossip ...that were floating around ...annual meetings in New ...week, one might have got ...that a general shake-up of ...is imminent, but out of all ...just one trade developed in ...leagues, Nig Clarke, long ...sed for St. Louis in ex- ...Isadelor Grigg's.

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...MUSIC AT FIESTA.

...Ballads and College Songs ...the Throng in the Spec- ...Yesterday.

...Idol" has become the ...selection of those who ...afternoons at the licensed ...The orchestra in the ...raised high in the cen- ...hall, plays this favorite ...is interspersed by the ...Dance Waltz" by Lincke. ...Something doing every min- ...the brass band plays the ...good time under the trees, ...many thousands enjoy the ...late model cars.

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...ALLEGED FORGER ARRESTED.

...Man Who Is Said to Have Passed Worthless Checks Is Taken Into Custody.

...Detectives Hodgkins and Hamilton ...arrested a man who is said to have ...passed worthless checks on a number ...of local merchants. The man gave his ...name as Frank Wilson, but the police ...say that he is known to them as Frank ...Wilson Hall. He is charged with ...forgery.

...Hall is said to have passed a check ...for $10 on the Bon Ton Cafe, 124 ...South Main street, and to have ...received change for it. The check ...was returned by the bank on which it ...was drawn, and the police were ...notified. Hall was arrested at the ...Hotel Rosslyn.

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Unusual Season.

HARNESS MARKS ARE SHATTERED.

TWENTY-NINE RECORDS GO BY THE BOARD.

The Harvester Leads the Field at the End of the Year, Having Broken Five Records That Were Held by Crescens for Nine Years—Uhlan Takes Palm For Fastest Time.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—As a result of the harness racing season during the year just drawing to a close, the world's championship tables have undergone twenty-nine changes of which twenty-four are for trotting and five for pacing honors.

The greatest of the year's champions is The Harvester, who has lowered eight records, five of which were held up to this year by Cresceus for nine-years. The performances of The Harvester have now completely wiped out the name of Cresceus from the championship lists, the last of his marks to be lowered being that for two miles.

The old mark of 4:17 is now replaced by 4:15 1-4.

The oldest record to go by the board is that of Arion, 2:10 3-4, as a two-year-old trotting colt, a mark which Justice Brooke reduced to 2:09 1-2. The fastest record of the year is, of course, that of Uhlan, which trotted a mile in 1:58 3-4 at the North Randall (O.) track, and set the world's record below the two-minute mark for the first time without assistance of a wind shield or a runner in front.

JACKSONVILLE RESULTS.

JACK PARKER BEATS MEXOANA.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.) Dec. 27.—Jack Parker today captured the fourth race, a handicap of six furlongs, by a length from Hoffman, who beat Racquet by a neck. Mexoana quit in the stretch. Summary:

Five and one-half furlongs: The Whip won, White Wool second, Red Bob third; time, 1:08 2-5.

Seven furlongs: May Amelia won, Oakhurst second; Billy Bodemeyer third; time, 1:29.

Mile: Gold Oak won, Eastern Star second, Limit third; time, 1:43 2-5.

Six furlongs: Jack Parker won, Hoffman second; Racquet third; time, 1:13 3-5.

Six furlongs: Smoker won, Parkview second, Ida D. third; time, 1:14.

Mile and one-sixteenth: South won, Falcada second, Canopian third; time, 1:49 4-5.

PENSACOLA CARD.

MANY CLOSE FINISHES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PENSACOLA, Dec. 27.—Close finishes came with the running of all races today, and furnished splendid sport for a good-sized crowd. Summary:

Four and a half furlongs: Bert Mont won, Virgain second, Uncle Jim third; time, 1:00.

Six furlongs: Shepperds Song won, Virginia Lindsey second, Rubiola third; time, 1:22 2-5.

Six and a half furlongs: Don Hamilton won, B. J. Swanner second, Ossian third; time, 1:22.

Five furlongs: Lord Wells won, Blair Bagley second, Chenault third; time, 1:07 2-5.

Six furlongs. Pinte won, Clysmic second, St. Dunstan third; time, 1:21.

Mile: Golden Castle won, Sandiver second, Neoshaleta third; time, 1:50.

NEW TRACK RECORD.

RALEIGH RUNS FINE RACE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 27.—In winning the third race at Emeryville today, Raleigh lowered the track record for a mile and seventy yards, covering the distance in 1:40. The previous mark was 1:40 1-5. Bonnie Bard made most of the early running. Raleigh carried 114 pounds. Summary:

Futurity: Green Isle (Garner,) won; Dutch Rock (Martin,) second; Dublin Minstrel (Glass,) third. Time, 1:10 2-5. B. F. Greenleaf, Sallie O'Day, Santa Rose, Angelix, Sue Layton, Waco Bill, Nancy Ray and Lady M. M. also ran.

Six furlongs: Gramercy (Glass,) won; Frank G. Hogan (Garner,) second; Braxton (Kederis,) third. Time, 1:13. Lotta Creed, Donovan, Domithilda, Olatha, Sepulveda, Lorenzo and Culiacan also ran.

Mile and twenty yards: Raleigh (Glass,) won; Bignale Bard (Martin,) second; Eddie Graney (Garner,) third. Time, 1:40. Michael Angelo, Altamor, Boggs and Old Mexico also ran.

Six and one-half furlongs: Phil Mohr (Garner,) won; Likely Dieudonne (Williams,) second; Marchmonet (Selden,) third. Time, 1:19 2-5. Venetia Strome, Miles, Duke of Ormonde, Shooting Spray, Greenbridge, Princess of Wales and Summertime also ran.

Nine furlongs: Nebulosus (Taplin,) won; Sir Wesley (Kederis,) second; Capt. Burnett (Garner,) third. Time, 1:53 1-5. Miss Officious, Sir John, Merlingo, J. C. Clem, Sir Angus and Silver Grain also ran.

Six furlongs: Sir Fretful (Selden,) won; Lizaro (Garner,) second; Hannah Louis (Taplin,) third. Time, 1:13 1-5. Father Stafford, Dargin, Tillinghast, Faneuil Hall, Cocksure, Aunt Polly, Native Son, Ironbound and Salnest also ran.

TODAY'S ENTRIES.

Six furlongs: Pal, Davie Andrew, Donald, Who, Pete, Netting, Lookout, Yellowfoot, 111; Gypsy Girl, Brighton, Lady McNally, 107; Harry Rogers, 108.

Six furlongs: Rosamo, Prudent, Home Run, 114; Burnell, Calla, Bambro, Combury, Biskra 111; Beda, Ocean View, Minnedocia, 107.

Futurity: Americus, 115; Dolly V. B., Media, 112; Ben Uncas, 110; The Bailiff's Daughter, Golden Angus, Starry Night, Heretic, Frank Ferris, Ritta, Pleasant, 107; Bell Cliff, 102.

Six furlongs: Arionette, 111; Juan, Saymour Beutler, 110; Thistle Belle, 109; No Quarter, Fernando, 107; Joe Moser, Heatherscot, Madeline Musgrave, 105; Descendant, 101.

Mile: Liberto, Dovalta, Wap, Cabin, 111; Sonia, Miss Picnic, Quality Street, 106; Clake, 83.

Six furlongs: Roy T., Royal Stone, Ben Stone, Bucolic, Harry Stanhope, Tramotor, Meda, 111; Galene Gale, Genova, Passenger, Jim Cafferata, Lord Clinton, 107.

COLLYER RULED OFF.

SERIOUS CHARGES MADE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.) Dec. 27.—Bert E. Collyer, a Chicago newspaper correspondent, was ruled off the turf for alleged extortion of money in the 1909-10 racing season, here from R. D. Williams, a prominent horse owner.

This action was taken by stewards of the Southern Jockey club at their meeting. It is alleged, in affidavits presented by several horsemen, that Collyer in return for moneys accepted and for wagers placed for him, promised the support of the newspaper with which he was connected, instead of continuing the publication of articles he had, it is alleged, previously contributed in which he attacked Williams and his method of racing horses.

Collyer did not appear at the hearing. The stewards announced the ruling, copies of which will be sent to all the turf governing bodies in America.

Coming Along.

FIGHTERS ARE IN GOOD FORM.

Spaghetti Heavyweights Are Anxious to Mix.

Flynn Springs Some Genuine Boxing in Try-Out.

Cappelle Expects to Outlast Young Rivers.

The fight card that Promoter McCarey is to stage at the Vernon Arena Monday afternoon is to begin at 2 o'clock. Final arrangements for the boxing events were completed yesterday. Young Rivers and Billy Cappelle are to lead off in their fifteen-round bout and if the fight goes the limit, Flynn and Caponi, the heavies who are to figure in the main event, will immediately enter the ring. But if the Rivers-Cappelle scrap has a quick ending, a four-round bout will be slipped in before the main event.

McCarey's idea is to keep somebody busy in the ring between the time the show opens and sundown. There promises to be plenty of action in the Cappelle-Rivers mill and Flynn and Tony undoubtedly will give a good rough-house exhibition. Caponi is gaining admirers every day from among the bugs who see him work at Arcadia. He certainly is a glutton when it comes to real toil and, if he fights as hard as he trains, Fireman Jim will at least know he has been in a mix-up.

Flynn did unusual work yesterday, loosening up in his boxing and making it interesting for three of the heavyweights, who went out to put on the gloves with him. Two of the boys survived the three rounds, while the third failed to come to the scratch after a right swing from the fireman.

TONY IS FRISKY.

Caponi at Arcadia put in a lively day, doing eight miles on the road early in the morning and using the ring for more than an hour, boxing six of the hardest rounds of his training period with Morrie Bloom.

Capino declared, after his workout, that the climate suited him to a dot and that he was getting in grand shape. He predicted that he would make short work of Flynn when the two entered the ring Monday for their twenty-round battle.

Billy Cappelle is getting into good condition at San Pedro and his confidence in his ability to beat Rivers in their fifteen-round affair is growing as the training period nears the end. Cappelle feels sure he can stay till the first ten rounds are over and then figures he will be fresher than Rivers and will be able to wade in and finish him.

Rivers went through his regular stunts yesterday, boxing five rounds with Eddie Russell and putting in a session of gym work in the Doyle ring.

Sure Thing.

SCHOOL GAMES DEVELOP BOYS.

GOOD RESULTS OBTAINED FROM CLEAN ATHLETICS.

New York Expert Says Introduction of Sports in Schools Has Wrought Fifty Per Cent. Improvement in Physique, Ethics and Mentality of American Boy.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—That the introduction of systematic athletics in the public schools in the United States has resulted in a fifty per cent. improvement, not only in physique but in ethics, discipline and mental alertness, is the assertion of Gen. Geo. W. Wingate, president of the New York Public Schools Athletic League, in his annual report just given to the public. He says in part:

"The day of experiments in this matter of athletics has now long passed. It has now become established on such a firm foundation in both the schools and the public estimation that its future is assured.

"With every year the standard of athletic ability in our public schools becomes higher and records which were considered wonderful when made are surpassed, and there is an alertness of mind and body and the general air of strength and health resulting from the athletic exercises which the children have pursued. Gratifying as this is, from the physical side, the improvement on the side of ethics, school discipline and esprit de corps is even greater, a fact which has converted the supervising and teaching force of the school into firm supporters of the work.

"The New York Public Schools Athletic League formed in 1903 is now the largest athletic organization in the world. Its success has caused the formation of similar leagues in sixteen of the great cities of the country and more are constantly adopting its methods.

"A hundred thousand schools took active part in the league's competitions during the last year. For example, 32,750 children participated in jumping contests, while 14,500 boys competed in 'chinning' and 8000 in class running. Thirty thousand were entered in the various field day games, at which 3700 medals and 150 banners were awarded."

WAR SCARE FADES AWAY.

Baseball Moguls Say Dissatisfied Leagues Will Get What They Want Without Fighting.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—There is no baseball war in the air, according to well posted baseball men in this city today, whose attention has been attracted by reports from the Middle West that the American Association and Eastern League are planning to quit the present organization, and blossom forth as major leagues.

It is known that these leagues want a higher classification than at present accorded them, but it is believed here that their demands can be satisfied by the creation of a special class for them and that the most they will do is to make a peaceful fight to get what they consider their rights.

"Conditions are not ripe now for any baseball revolt," said one veteran baseball man. "There will be no war, either in 1912 or 1913."

New Skating Record.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—**Edmund Lally today at Saranac Lake, N. Y., broke the world's amateur 220-yard** skating record, negotiating the distance in 17 2-5 seconds. This clips 2 2-5 seconds from the record of 19 4-5 seconds, made by Leroy Ees in 1900.

TALKING ABOUT RECORDS

A Flanders 20, absolutely stock car, started on Dec. 2nd at 12 o'clock noon, on a non-stop run. At noon on Dec. 15th, just 13 days after starting, the 5000-mile mark was passed, breaking the Pacific Coast non-stop record of 4992 miles, which has stood for nearly two years.

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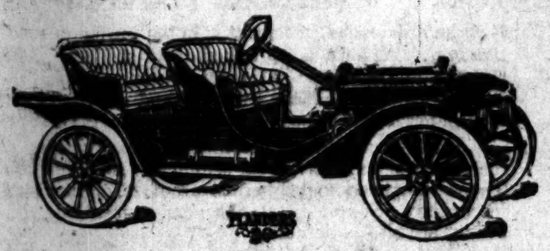

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Head of Big Concern Says California Producers Have the Bulge on Rest of the World.

W. A. Wiley, president of the Holly Sugar Company of Holly, Colo., accompanied by his wife, arrived at the Alexandria yesterday from the East. He is here to inspect the progress on the new Huntington Beach sugar plant, of which he is president and one of the chief stockholders.

"We have ordered all our machinery for the plant, the foundation is practically complete, the structural steel is being placed, and most of our machinery is already on the way," he said. "The farmers who will grow beets for the plant will have their seed, or may already have it, the seed being shipped here from Germany. The first shipment consists of 20,000 pounds.

"As a sugar-producing country, Southern California is one of the best in the United States, not so much for the crop itself as for the time that the crop is harvested and the product ready for the market. The California sugar can be bagged and shipped directly to the market, where it finds ready buyers. It comes at a time when the supply on hand throughout the world is at the **lowest, and therefore the California** sugar man is getting the best price at all times."

The new sugar plant will begin its grinding next June.

BROTHERHOOD DINE.

Talk on China Shows Great Changes in the Religious and Business Life of the Yellow Men.

Rev. Herbert E. House, field agent of the Canton Christian College of China, who has been in Los Angeles several weeks, was the chief speaker at the weekly dinner of the Brotherhood of the Los Angeles Y. M. C. A., which was held in the auditorium last evening. His topic, "Old and New China," touching on the great changes which have been made in China in the last ten years, and those being made now, not only in the religious but in the business life. He told of the wonderful influence of American people in the Orient.

The municipal improvements, which are very extensive in Canton, in Shanghai, Hongkong and other cities, are copied after the American plan of architecture," he said.

Attorney Frank F. Pratt spoke of the work that the Brotherhood is accomplishing, and pointed to fields where the endeavor of a Christian body of men might accomplish a great deal of good in the way of moral and social uplift. Rev. E. H. Emett acted as chairman of the dinner.

Abe Gets Match.

SYRACUSE (N. Y.) Dec. 27.—**Abe Attell, featherweight champion, and Billy Allen, champion of Canada, will meet** in a ten-round, no-decision bout in this city, January 23.

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Saloon-keeper's Son Labors Among Workingmen.

Conquers Circumstances In Remarkable Way.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Having heard the odd and wonderful story of Charles Stelzle, a skeptic would say he was taken from the mechanic's bench by a peculiar climax of events so unusual as to suggest an accident.

Dogmatists, greedy for controversy, would argue for and against environment, meaning the power of surroundings and training, or their utter impotency to shape and direct a human life.

But John Calvin, were he alive, would aver, especially on a Christmas morning, that the case indisputably proved the doctrine of election or the aristocracy of piety, as formulated by Paul, the tent-maker—who studied law, but became an evangelist while on the road to Damascus under spectacular circumstances—in one of his learned and celebrated letters to the Thessalonians.

The reader of the interview that follows must judge the matter himself. I asked Charles Stelzle for the view he took of his own case. He looked across the tops of many buildings toward the mysterious and potential East Side, where he lived in wretchedness while a child, and was silent. But there was a look in his expressive gray eyes that said, I now feel sure. "Can't you see the finger of God?"

STELZLE AND HIS "JOB."

Every workingman in the United States, almost, either knows or has heard about Charles Stelzle, the machinist who turned preacher and is now trying to take the church to labor, instead of attempting to harpoon or trap labor and drag it into the church.

Even so, there is no upward slant to Charles Stelzle's eyes, no quiverings in Charles Stelzle's manly voice, no ecclesiastic cut to Charles Stelzle's coat or vest. He is a workingman yet, without cant, unction, or effeminacy, and speaks of his employment as being his "job." Nor is he acting down or talking down to labor—Charles Stelzle is not a religious demagogue.

In speech, Charles Stelzle is an educated man. In movement, he is nervous, alert, and intense. In preparedness, he is equal to his task. It was so when he worked at a lathe or peddled newspapers and oranges in the streets. He has studied socialism here and has investigated it abroad. "Once, at a meeting, some socialists—able men—tried to make a monkey of me," he said. "I answered them. When they read a part of a paragraph from a book, I insisted that they read it all. The point was quickly turned against themselves. I knew the book, you understand. Since then socialists have let me alone when I am on my feet, working in my own particular line."

Industrially and religiously, joining two opposite and hostile words into one, Charles Stelzle is the most eminent and original specialist in the United States. Labor, looking at him in the beginning with puzzlement, unconcern, or levity, now takes off its hat in admiration and respect. The church finally admits that he is right, that success has followed his doubtful attempt. So Charles Stelzle is a revolutionist, a Martin Luther—having a handy ink pot, but only one stone—within the Protestant church. His personal history has more of the elements of a drama than the biography of even a very extraordinary man.

SON OF A SALOONKEEPER.

"My mother and father were Germans by birth," he said. "However, I was born in New York. When my mother married her family cast her off. My father owned a small brewery. He failed, and then became a saloonkeeper. At his death he left us in poverty. I had four sisters, all younger than myself.

"We moved into two rooms on the top floor of an East Side tenement. Mother was a woman of spirit and did not let her family know about her circumstances. She sewed up calico wrappers for 16 2-3 cents apiece. She was a rapid seamstress and made $4 a week. I would get awake far into the night and see her head bent over her work. It took her three days and parts of three nights to sew a dozen wrappers and earn $2.

"Our rent was $6 a month. So we had 33 cents a day for six hungry mouths and six pairs of feet. We lived mostly on stale bread, eating it with salt. It was a hideous life—my mother toiling day and night and never telling her parents where or how she lived. I carried the wrappers to a little sweatshop.

"At the age of 8, after the close of school for the summer, I went to work," Mr. Stelze continued. He had gone into the hard particulars of his childhood at my request, talking evenly and quietly, but I saw tears in his eyes when he spoke of his mother's lonely but loving labor of the night. "I got a place in a basement cigar factory to strip tobacco, my wages bein 50 cents a week and two 'smokers' every night. I gave the cigars away. I didn't learn to smoke then, nor have I since.

"I attended school until I was 10 years of age, working when I could. In the mornings and evenings I sold newspapers on the streets. At Christmas time I peddled candy and oranges through the tenements.

"Finally, I thought I ought to become a steady wage-earner and the real head of the family. However, I went to school for the next ten years every night.

"A cousin of my mother was pressman for a newspaper. He took me to the great printing press factory of R. Hoe & Company, and introduced me to one of the foremen. I wanted to be a machinist. Even now, if I were not a preacher, I would rather be the superintendent of a machine shop employing 1000 men than the Governor of New York. I can see all the graceful lines, or art, in a machine at a glance. The beautys which other men enjoy in pictures, statuary, and scenery are visible to me in an engine, a lathe, or a printing press.

BECOMES AN APPRENTICE.

"However, I was not old enough to be received as an apprentice. I worked in the warehouse, consequently, for nine months, when, being 16 years old and qualified by age, I was transferred to the machine shop. My wages were $2 a week the first year, $3 the second, $4 the third, $5.50 the fourth, and $7.50 the fifth year. In addition, under the system of piecework in the shop, I was enabled to increase my weekly earnings about 25 per cent. Ultimately, I was given a certificate—and there it is on the wall near my desk—stating that I had served my time and became a journeyman. After that my wages were $6 a day. In the meanwhile, I had regularly gone to night school."

"Who suggested the night school in the first place?" I asked.

"No one, I felt that I needed an education, and as I was busy all day I was compelled to study at night. After going to the printing press factory, I concluded to be a mechanical engineer. Accordingly, I took special courses in mathematics and drawing. I worked three years as a machinist, making good wages and being very happy with my lot. My family improved right along financially. The girls married well and are better off than I am, in the matter of money. One has her own automobile. My mother, I am glad to say, is still living."

Charles Stelzle,

son of saloon-keeper, who has become greatest preacher to workingmen in country.

EIGHT

NOT A PIOUS BOY.

"Did you sow any wild oats?"

"No; I was not a pious boy but I never did anything very wicked, except to swear. I swore unconsciously, following the habit of the boys I ran with in the streets. Indeed, I swore all the time when away from home. Without any counsel on the subject, I cut swearing out the day I began work in the warehouse of Hoe & Co. My tongue never slipped afterward.

"Although my mother attended a German church, I went with some boys whom I knew to the Sunday school of Hope chapel, a Presbyterian enterprise in our neighborhood. I naturally became a member of the chapel, going into it from the Sunday school without any emotional appeal from the pastor or any excitement on my own part. I felt that it was the right thing to do. I also taught in the Sunday school. When we moved to Brooklyn I transferred my membership to a Presbyterian church, and at the age of twenty-one was an elder and superintendent of the Sunday school as well."

"Did you then plan to be a clergyman?"

"I still hoped to be a mechanical engineer. But I started a mission in Brooklyn, raised a little money and contributed myself, even though I hadn't a dollar saved. By and by I saw that I would be compelled to give up the mission or my work as a machinist. Two college professors had been giving me lessons in Hebrew and Greek. I had studied Latin with a Jewish peddler. When I decided to enter the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago and prepare myself to be an evangelical worker, I told the superintendent of the shop.

"'You are foolish,' he said. 'Remain with us and I shall give you $40 a week and make you my assistant. You will get my place in time. There is a future here. You will starve to death at preaching, no doubt. Think about the matter for a week, and then come to me again.'

LIVES IN A TENEMENT AGAIN.

"'I am going,' I notified the superintendent at the end of the week.

"I borrowed $25 for railroad fare and took my wife to Chicago. I felt that I would get work. We rented one attic room, but made it into two rooms by hanging a calico curtain. Dr. Reuben A. Torrey was in charge of the Moody Institute and had a Bible class of 350 men. Technically I was chairman of the Committee of Attendance, but I taught and was paid $20 a month. I had returned, you see, to the tenement conditions of my childhood. My wife and I were hungry most of the time.

"I specialized in Bible study at the institute and also took up theology, homiletics, and so on. During my first vacation I organized Sunday schools in Minnesota, breaking all records with four a week in the rural regions. I made plans for the work of Hope Chapel in Minneapolis and reluctantly remained and carried them out along the banks of the Mississippi, in a sawmill region where there were no churches. I had a boy's club of 500 members and classes in sewing and cooking for the girls. After two years I came back to Hope Chapel in New York, but I was hampered in my work, and went to St. Louis as manager of a very large Sunday school, which I later organized into the Markham Memorial Presbyterian church.

CHURCH ADVERTISING PAYS.

"A man had given me $300. I could have spent it and again been hard up. Instead I wrote a booklet, telling of our needs and asking for $3000 a year in cash. A woman in the congregation of my early friend, Dr. McKittrick, read my booklet and gave me the money, and also $50,000 with which to build a church. Advertising pays, I long since found out, in religion as well as groceries and dry goods."

"But you were not a preacher," I said.

"I applied to Princeton Union, and a theological seminary out West, but was turned down on the ground that I was not a college graduate. Therefore, I applied to the Presbytery of St. Louis for ordination. The committee examined me four hours on theology alone and the chairman said I was as competent, educationally and in all other respects, as any candidate who had ever come before the presbytery. I lecture now at the seminaries that refused my application, and the students and members of the faculties seem glad to see me and to hear me talk."

"How did you get into your present work?" I asked.

"The Presbyterians of Missouri celebrated the 250th anniversary of the Westminster Confession of Faith at Joplin. Dr. John Dixon, one of the secretaries of the Home Board of Missions in New York, was present. I was down on the programme for a twenty-minute address about what the city and State ought to do for labor. 'If I had ten minutes more,' I said, 'I would tell what the national church should undertake in behalf of the workingman.'

A TEXT FROM A SIGN.

"'Go ahead,' Dr. Dixon called from his seat on the platform.

"I hurriedly outlined the plans on which I had been reflecting. 'For one thing,' I said, 'I should hold meetings in tents and out of doors.' A preacher stood up and asked: 'Are you willing to try it tonight in Joplin?'

"'Yes,' I answered, 'if you will go along and help me.'

"We drove in a barouche to the center of the business district. The streets were full of men from the zinc and lead mines. We happened to stop in front of the clothing store of a man named Gottlieb. I saw the sign and took it for a text, saying that Gottlieb was German, and meant God's love. The Jewish merchant standing in the door nodded his head in confirmation. It was a good meeting.

"Dr. Dixon spoke of me to the church authorities in New York. Seven years ago the Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America established a department of labor and elected me superintendent. I talk to workingmen in all parts of the country, start noon meetings in shops, circulate literature, and write for 200 labor newspapers. I am striving to advertise religion and to create an atmosphere. A few years ago a big labor convention in Chicago passed a resolution denying clergymen the privilege of addressing the delegates. I go to every important gathering of workingmen that is held in the country. Moreover, I sit on the platform, and always make a speech at the first opportunity.

"Just now I am showing the churches that they are committing a sin and are blundering in their business by abandoning the downtown districts in large cities. I have proved that right here, in one of the most congested spots on earth, amid hundreds of picture shows ablaze with electric lights, that workingmen will go to church.

"Inside of two years," and his eyes glowed, "I shall have a $200,000 building on a $200,000 site and an object lesson for the Christian people of every large city in the United States."

Classified Ads for the Midwinter.

An opportunity is offered advertisers in this splendid number to be issued January 1. Place will be given in one of the "five" sections as usual and all classifications of regular editions are available. Three cents per word. Your ad will be read by a country-wide circulation of home seekers and buyers.

The Midwinter, Classified Ads.

Copy solicited now. Closing date announced later, but early copy is desired. Splendid opportunity to discerning advertisers seeking country-wide circulation; cost three cents per word. Call, telephone, or write orders.

Go See the Hudson "33"

At the Automobile Show

The one *different* automobile for 1911 can now be seen. It is the HUDSON "33."

You remember, it is Howard E. Coffin's masterpiece. This is the car for which orders for more than 10,000—a year's output—were received before a single model was shown. The dealers—the shrewdest automobile buyers of America—deposited hundreds of thousands of dollars and cast their business future with this car, just because of their confidence in Howard E. Coffin's ability to add his fifth great advancement in motor car designing.

It is not surprising that they did this.

No man is better known for the successes he has produced. No designer ever built more famous cars. Four, before the advent of this, his greatest car! Each marked an epoch in Motordom. Each pushed standards up and brought costs down.

He designed race cars that have *made history* in speed contests. He built cars that *successfully* went through the most severe reliability runs without a penalty. He learned by these tests. He devised new and simple, *inexpensive* ways for building better cars than were known before. That experience has resulted in the HUDSON "33"—a car without any *"bugs"* or *"kinks"* that must be *"ironed out,"* such as are *common* to most new models, as time develops an unexpected weakness or an overlooked detail.

Such skill and such experience as Howard E. Coffin possesses made possible the HUDSON "33."

It was the confidence of the trade that has seen each of his cars take the lead of others in their time, that inspired them to buy *"sight-unseen,"* as it were. It was just such knowledge of his ability that sent other cars—that for two and three years had held popular positions without material change or improvement—into a lower price class.

First Cost Practically Last Cost

But the greatest advancement is in the provision made for keeping down *operation cost.* This is a much talked about subject. The funny papers have joked about it, and the average motor car owner has *felt* its seriousness. Repairs, constant adjustment—all the annoying and expensive attention *usually* required has to a material degree been eliminated in the HUDSON "33."

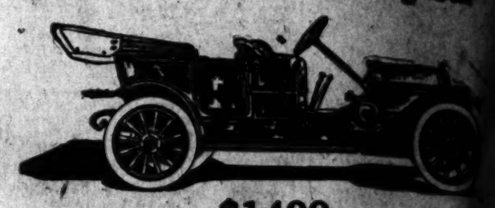
First, this has been accomplished by *reducing* the number of parts used in the chassis of the average car selling at $2000 and under, by approximately 900. The valves are concealed in dust-proof, oil-tight chambers. There is no exposed mechanism. Simplicity, staunchness, tremendous power, wonderful quietness and beauty are also noticeable.

But accessibility contributes *greatest* to the *low up-keep* cost. Most motor owners have experienced enormous repair charges resulting from the necessity to dismantle the car in order to make what should have been a simple adjustment or repair.

Haven't you seen mechanics—at 60c and 75c an hour—fumble for *twenty* to *thirty minutes,* endeavoring to tighten up an inaccessible nut? Such expense is never possible with the HUDSON "33." Every nut is accessible. Every part is made to withstand wear and to render attention of *rare* requirement. But when replacement *is* necessary—it can be made direct and *without* disturbing the entire car.

The detail of manufacturing is handled with as much care as Mr. Coffin has given to design. It is noticeable in the finish, in the gentle purr of the motor, in the noiseless gears, in the luxurious softness of upholstering.

Hudson "33" Touring Car



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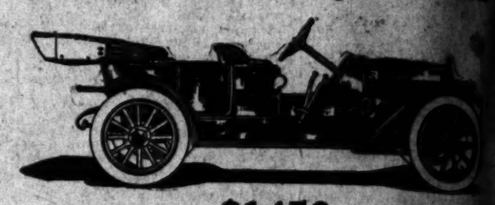

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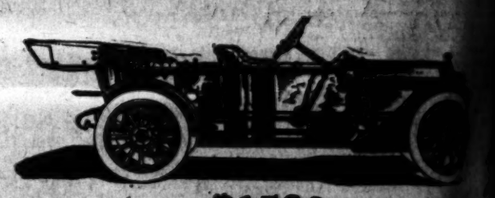

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Why We Do Not Publish Details

Thousands have asked why we do not publish detailed specifications of the HUDSON "33" in our advertisements.

Practically every adjective in the language has been made to do service in describing automobiles. Claims and descriptions are the *same for all cars,* whether selling at $500 or ten times that price.

Change the name and price and the advertisement is as suitable for one car as another.

The HUDSON "33" cannot be described with justice to itself in the space available and so we make no attempt at it.

See it at the Show. The only NEW 1911 motor car.

Since experienced buyers have put up hundreds of thousands of dollars, just because they know that Howard E. Coffin's cars are the last word in motordom, don't you think you should at least examine the HUDSON "33" before you choose any car? It will not delay the delivery of the car you finally select—it may *save* you much expense and many *regrets.*

WESTERN MOTOR CAR COMPANY

727 South Olive Street

We Will Exhibit at the Auto Show, Fiesta Park, All This Week. Phone Auto Show

Licensed Under Seldon Patent

Mr. W. A. Evans, Agent for The Waverley Electrics extends to you and your friends a most cordial invitation to a private exhibit of Waverley Electrics to be held in his Salesroom, December 26th until January 1st, 1911, from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

The Waverley will not be represented in either automobile show this year.

816 South Olive St.

Los Angeles, Cal.

See Our Exhibit Licensed Auto Sh...

Tire Change in Less Than a Min...

In a road race Lou Zengle and his Chadwick, by the quick ... Howard Demountable Rim, changed two rear tires in the ... 24 seconds, and won the 200-mile race by a small margin of ... at Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, October 8, 1910.

You can make a change in less than a minute.

HOWARD

DEMOUNTABLE

RIMS

are safe, strong and will absolutely stay on at any speed. ... feature is that they do not detract from the appearance of ... elaborately finished car. Howard Rims are adapted to ... use as well as for racing purposes—racing only proves ... and reliability.

To demount requires but the turning of one ratchet ... parts, and nothing to remove but the rim and replace ... flated tire.

Clyde M. Welch

Coast Distributer.

915 SANTEE ST., LOS ANGELES, CAL.

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FACTS, FEATURES AND FANCIES FOR WOMEN.

By Clara Gray

BEAUTY HINT: More and more am I led to believe in the efficacy of the dry shampoo for the hair. It is easy and cleansing, and for the scalp, and if the right powder is used, I believe it is beneficial.

...the pretty custom of ... dinner napkin lengthwise ... it aslant upon the table and ... over the cloth to say ... the hostess, "I have had a ... and hope to return to your ... party!"

I believe, an English custom ... pretty one, I think.

...season.

...collection of dancing ... and net, messaline ... all the dainty and ... shades for less ... gold! That is one of ... at a Broadway ... early the day after ... gowns would be re... the prize, and what a ... to the girls who ... dresses for the holi... who have that "after ... in their purses.

...Gift.

...Christmas money which ... what bargains you ... this week!

...call them "pre... call them "after ... but no mat... sailed if you can buy ... articles that you ... upon.

...though you could do ... half, coats for half, ... for Christmas ... to be had at Fido... Don't you hope ... understand that you ... unusually low prices ... them—even in ... are duplicates of ...

...family, that I think, ... Claus. They delib... put off until after ... purchase of all their gifts ... order to take advan... Christmas prices. ... that they buy so much ... the holiday I would ... them; but as it is, ... but they are right. ... to select for others, ... Christmas rush time they ... after Christmas they ... to buy what they want ... to get twice as much ... said one of the girls, ... a pretty sensible ...

...Kansas girls' "anti-..." which has given rise ... an eastern girl writes ... the day when "Dutch ... rule, adding that she ... be much more self... they cease to expect or ... for everything when ... go anywhere with ... it comes to that ... will be asking the ... quite as frequent... If it is to be "Dutch ... to be Dutch invita...

...is truly beautiful in ... rested up in her bath ... beauty rules: Bathe ... Sleep enough. Use ... Attend to the teeth ... look after your hair prop... brow on your clothes but ... properly. See that you ... well up. Be *sure* to ... stretch; it isn't *clever* to ... Courtesy is becoming posi... maybe a little conspic... don't fear that it is bizarre. ... use your hands *ex...* ... not in a declamatory ... buried and light worsted. ... witted; anything but ... fundamental for yearning. ... neck strings; and the ... laugh at bothers, smoke ... Don't push, don't be... tell tales, don't try to ... don't argue about little ... most jealous jabs. All ... charm and charm spells ...

...Tonneau the left over ... and to this add a ... carrot cut into dice and ... beans, to which add a ... cover tightly and ... oven for an hour. ... balls, diced turnip ... vegetables are preferred ... are tender. Add a ... before serving.

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...ring to per cent. higher, mink 25 per cent. higher and skunk—more politely known as Alaska sable—is 75 per cent. higher than a year ago.

Perhaps no detail of the winter fashion is so astonishing as the height of the waist line. Moderately high at the beginning of the season, some of the latest models are girdled directly below the bust.

Straight breadths draped over silk or lace foundations are the latest cry in stunning gowns. Some such gowns show not a single seam in the overdress, and even the silk is left with the unfinished selvedge.

With the shawl and sailor collars we are familiar; but a new cape collar has now made its appearance—a quaint, tight affair of velvet, often edged with fur, and evidently designed to be worn over a very short-waisted garment.

WOMEN'S CLUBS, WOMEN'S WORK.

By SYDNEY FORD.

Three of the leading women's clubs in Los Angeles and the Woman's Club of Hollywood have issued a formal protest against the manner in which the amendment relative to per capita dues was passed at the meeting of the Los Angeles District Federation of Women's Clubs, held here last month.

The protest is signed by the president and secretary of the Friday Morning, the Ebell, the Ruskin Art and the Hollywood Clubs, respectively. They contest the legality of the vote and ask that it be declared null and void, explaining that, whereas they are not opposed to an increased assessment, they are vitally opposed to the per capita method, which discriminates unjustly against the larger clubs.

They call attention to the fact that representation is fixed on such a basis that the seventeen smallest clubs in the district, with their total membership of but 352, have 34 representatives, while the two largest clubs, with a combined membership of over 2000, have but twenty-five representatives in the district federation.

When it comes to assessments, however, the rule seems to be reversed, and all clubs pay on the per capita plan, which means that, under the proposed amendment, the average cost per representative will be over $4 in these two large clubs, and but 51 cents in the little ones, with memberships running from fourteen to thirty each.

It seems like a case of the little fish swallowing the big ones, doesn't it? There are seventy-three clubs included in the district federation, with a total membership of nearly 7600, and almost two-thirds of that number are members of one or the other of the two big clubs—the Friday Morning and the Ebell—but, according to the present by-laws, they are entitled to only about one-eighth of the number of representatives, which totals 193, of which twenty-five represent these two clubs.

Joy Distributors.

Mrs. Frank Stoddard, secretary of the Federation of Parent-Teacher Associations, spent the week-end at Elsinore recuperating from strenuous work in providing wholesale Christmas cheer, together with Mrs. Chalmers Smith, president, and their many co-workers, who were hard at work all last week at their headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce building filling boxes of toys and candy and distributing warm, new garments to school children sent to them by different members of the association and by the teachers in the city schools. They also provided gifts for the children under the supervision of the six school nurses and for the East First Street Nursery, just opened on Boyle Heights.

Through this one organization of the Mothers' Congress of Los Angeles, 690 children were provided with Christmas remembrances, the fifty little ones now in quarantine not being forgotten by these big-hearted mothers.

Ebell Club's January Attractions.

The January programmes of the Ebell Club deal almost exclusively with music and art, the single exception being the travel talk by President Baer of Occidental College on Porto Rico.

Bruce Gordon Kingsley will illustrate the compositions of such music masters as Richard Strauss, Edward Elgar and Claude de Busay at one session of the club, and Miss Marjorie Rambeau, leading lady at the Burbank Theater, will give a dramatic sketch as the entertainment at another.

On Monday, January 9, Mrs. John J. Abramson will render groups of children's songs, and Miss Fannie Foote will do some artistic story-telling.

In the department work, some alluring programmes are promised. In the drama section, Miss Willamene Wilkes will give an outline of the new Irish movement, followed by a reading of the Irish play, "In the Shadow of the Glen," and Julian Johnson, dramatic critic of The Times, will give an informal talk.

The attraction in the science section will be a lecture on butterfly life in its various stages and the many interesting problems which it presents in the workings of nature, by E. K. Harvey, who is a member of the National Geological and Entomological Society.

Bruce Gordon Kingsley, who is instructor in the music department, will give two lecture recitals on "Siegfried," and the books and conversation section will present and discuss that much-mooted play, "The Servant in the House."

Altogether, the January numbers of this club bulletin a rather attractive programme.

The Electric Servant.

You may remember I mentioned the other morning about the revolution in housework electricity might bring about?

Well, I read that over in London there has been a public demonstration of just how it would work. Not only was the meal cooked at the table by electricity, but there was an electric tablecloth, if you please, so that a connection could be made at any point with the silver candlesticks, simply by pressing down little prongs, which immediately lighted the electric candles. The men diners lighted their after-dinner cigars by electric lighters, and the electric coffee-maker supplied that beverage at exactly the right moment, while an electric clock, when the button was pressed, cast an illuminated reflection on the ceiling of the dial, notifying the diners when it was time to quit.

Averill Club.

Mrs. William Horace Day will give a travel talk before the Averill Club at its next meeting, which will occur the second Tuesday in January at the residence of Mrs. Lucy Adams.

Mrs. L. P. Adams of Wilton boulevard entertained the club at its last meeting, which was a social affair, with a Christmas grab-bag as an amusing diversion. The Averill Club contributed $25 toward lifting the Y. W. C. A. debt, in which the founder of the club, Mrs. Anna S. Averill, is so deeply interested.

DEMENTED, DISAPPEARS.

Young Inventor Escapes Watchful Care of Nurse and Wanders Away. Police Unable to Find Him.

Driven almost to desperation by the inability of the police to find her demented son, who disappeared while walking with his nurse in Westlake Park Monday morning, Mrs. C. Leahy, living at Seventh street and Wilshire place, sent a friend to the police station yesterday afternoon to urge greater efforts. Capt. Lehnhausen sent word that a description of the young man had been given the officers and that the city would be scoured for him.

Louis Leahy, 27 years old, was, until he suffered nervous prostration, a brilliant young mechanic. For several years he had applied himself to mechanical designing and had invented a crude oil burner which is now in use in many large factories.

A male nurse was engaged to take care of him and it was his custom to take a walk in Westlake Park. Monday morning the young man requested the nurse to allow him to walk alone and an instant later he had disappeared.

A thorough search of the park failed to disclose any traces of the young man. He had considerable money in his pocket and is able to provide for himself. The only indication he gives of being mentally unbalanced is that he refuses to talk and answers questions with a bland smile.

POSTPONED.

Residents of Eagle Rock who desire to incorporate the place of their habitation were to have been given a hearing before the Board of Supervisors yesterday. As some slight mistakes were made in describing the limits of the proposed city, the question was postponed for a week.

SOME STUDIES IN NATURAL HISTORY.

The marriage customs of insects are dreadful and, contrary to what happens in every other world. Here it is the female of the couple who stands for strength and intelligence and also for cruelty and tyranny, which appear to be their inevitable consequence, says Maurice Maeterlinck in the Forum. Almost every wedding ends in the violent and immediate death of the husband. Often the bride first eats a certain number of suitors. The type of these fantastic unions could be supplied by the Languedocian scorpions, which, as we know, carry lobster claws and a long tail supplied with a sting, the price of which is extremely dangerous. They have a prelude to the festival in the shape of a sentimental stroll, claw in claw; then ceremonies, with fingers still gripped they contemplate each other blissfully, interminably; and day and night pass over their ecstasy, while they remain face to face, petrified with admiration. Next, the foreheads come together and touch the mouths—if we can give the name of mouth to the monstrous orifice that opens between the claws—are joined by a sort of kiss; after which the union is accomplished, the male is transfixed with a mortal sting and the terrible spouse crunches and gobbles him down with relish.

But the mantis, the ecstatic insect with the arms always raised in an attitude of supreme invocation, the horrible mantis religious or praying insect, does better still; she eats her husbands *for the insatiable creature* sometimes consumes seven or eight running) while they press her passionately to their heart. Her inconceivable kisses devour, not metaphorically, but in an appallingly real fashion, the ill fated choice of her soul or her stomach. She begins with the head, goes down to the thorax and does not stop till she comes to the hind legs, which she deems too tough. She then pushes away the unfortunate remains, while a new lover, who is quietly awaiting the end of the monstrous banquet, heroically comes forward to undergo the same fate.

Plantations of the rain tree of Peru, the tamaicaapi, are claimed to offer great possibilities as irrigation works. The tree grows readily in any soil, reaching large size, and has a luxuriant foliage, with a remarkable power of collecting and condensing atmospheric moisture. Its capacity, moreover, is increased by the usual heat of a drouth. The water falls from the leaves and oozes from the trunk, and forms veritable rivers, which can be led as irrigating canals to any point desired.

A single tree is estimated to average nine gallons of rain a day. Making liberal allowance for evaporation and infiltration, a square mile grove of the trees would supply for distribution about 100,000 gallons of water daily.

It has been slowly brought to our understanding that the world is not the same to all creatures, and probably no experiments have tended more to make this clear than the recent ones by Prof. Karl Hess of Wuerzburg on the color-sense of chickens, pigeons, owls and kestrels. Men with hungry chickens and pigeons were first kept an hour in a bright room to become accustomed to the light. The floor was then spread with a smooth black cloth evenly covered with grains of wheat, a strong spectrum was thrown on it from the ceiling, and the hungry animals were turned loose. They picked the wheat first from the bright red, then the ultra-red, next the yellow and finally the green. They touched nothing in the blue and violet because they saw nothing, but, on the other hand, they saw the grains in the ultra-red that were invisible to the men. This proved that for chickens and pigeons the spectrum is shortened at the violet end of short wave-length and extended at the red end of long wave-length. This is the effect one might expect from wearing orange-colored glasses, and Hess demonstrated that fowls see through such spectacles in the form of yellow and orange oil globules imbedded in the light-sensitive iris. To kestrels and buzzards the brightest zone was the green instead of red, the blue being visible. To owls the colors were as men see them.

Many trades sedentary in appearance are the cause of a vast amount of motion. The carpenter who drives his plane over the plank, the polisher who leaves it shining like a mirror, the gardener who sweeps the paths, the carpet layer who drives his nails, the cellarman who puts the wine into bottles, the house painter who sweeps the wall with his brush, the wood cutter who wields his axe, the graceful typewriter who, in striking the keys of her machine, unconsingly raises and lowers her delicate fingers,—all these people move or cause movement in a part of their person.

Add together all these rapid and apparently trivial movements, suggests a writer in the Strand, and you will discover that they cover at least once in the course of a lifetime the long route around the earth. It has been calculated, and the calculation is easy to verify, that the writer with a facile pen who blackens the paper for five hours a day at the rate of thirty words a minute will thus cover a distance of about thirty thousand miles a year by, so to say, mere strength of wrist. That means a much greater distance than that of the circuit of the earth. And yet this unconscious hero has scarcely quitted his desk.

The Frank B. Long Melody-grand Piano

Mere Assertion Proves Nothing

Observing the extravagant claims made by the dealers in advertising their different leading pianos, each claiming his particular make to be the best in the world, was the only one fit to grace the home of culture and refinement, one must wonder which is really the best, and wherein it is superior to the others.

This query is never satisfactorily answered, for the simple reason that they are all practically alike, with the exception of some unimportant talking points.

We can PROVE to any person having average intelligence, that the wonderful tonal effects, as well as the superior points of durability shown in the Melody-Grand Piano, can be produced only by using the patent "tone-reflecting sound-board," and other patented features which are controlled by us, and found only in the Melody-Grand Piano and Player Piano, $165 up.

Let us show you.

The Frank B. Long Co.
413 West Fifth St.

We Move to our beautiful new warerooms about Feb. First

We have many Standard pianos, which we have taken in exchange, for sale at your own price and terms.

Special Reduction
On Holiday Goods

Boxed papers in 2, 3 and 4 quire boxes, containing finest writing papers—one-third of regular prices. Fine calendars of mission views, etc., 50c, 75c, $1.00, less one-third. Antique brass desks sets, $9, $13.50 and $15, less one-third.

Your choice of a large variety of framed pictures and passe partouted mottoes, 50c values, only 10c.

We have a fine variety of New Year's letters, cards and postals.

STATIONERY AND ART GOODS
Sanborn, Vail & Co.
735 South Broadway.

Bullock's

Fancy Garters at Half Price

Prettiest of Ribbon and Elastic Garters in Fancy Boxes.

—Worth full price every day in the year. In this After-Christmas distribution at Half Price.

Bullock's

Many Toys Will Be Half Price

—Adjusting Toy Stock after Christmas—this all the year 'round Toy Store will be the magnet that will draw scores of buyers Today—

—Half Price for many Dandy Toys.

Tuesday, a Banner Basement Day
Today Will be Another

—There are hundreds of items downstairs that we will not be able to tell of thru the papers—

—Hundreds of special prices on Merchandise of Quality.

Sale Blankets
Big Bargains

76x82 Blankets $2.00 Values at $1.69
—White—heavy twilled weave.

60x76 Blankets $1.25 Values at 98c
—White or gray—pretty borders.

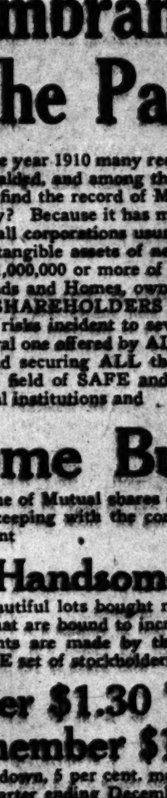
Large Blankets Wool Finish—$1.98
—Wool finish, $2.50 value.

Plaid Blankets Sale at $2.19 Pair
—Beautiful—large—special.

Maline That Was 15c Yard 5c
—26-in. double width in all desirable shades except black and white.

Veiling That Was 15c, Now 5c
—Yes, some was much more than 15c. Including black, white and odd shades.

Sale Collar Buttons 1c doz.
10c Hair Nets, 4 for 25c.



—Hundreds of sale savings specially planned for After-Christmas sales.

—And how sales hummed Tuesday.

How Sales Will Hum Today—New Suits $10

—will be the leading feature.

—A great special purchase from a foremost New York Maker.

—Just see the styles—the materials—the way they are made to really understand what Extraordinary values they are.

—Plain and Novelty Serges, Unfinished Serges and Cheviots—in wine, gray, navy, plum, black, green, smoke. Sizes 14 to 44. Big Bargains, $10.00.

Did You Ever See Coats Like These at $5!

—Can you buy the material alone to equal this at $5.00?—without the tailoring and trimmings.

—Coats of Melton and Broadcloth, Plain Colors, Stripes, Diagonals in every size.

—33 1-3 per cent. to 50 per cent. underprice at $5.00.

Famous Cotton Suitings
1/3 Regular Price at 5c
Looks Like Wool—Wonderful Value

Specials For Men

—Blue Ribbed Underwear, 'way less than half price, 35c—not all sizes.

—Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts, 35c—Just about 100 of them, so hurry.

Remembrances of the Passing Year

With the close of the year 1910 many records of growth and prosperity for the old year will be heralded, and among those somewhere near, if not at the top of this list you will find the record of MUTUAL HOME BUILDING CORPORATION. Why? Because it has made a marvelous showing. It started six months ago, as all corporations usually do, with a few subscribed shares; while today it has tangible assets of nearly $500,000 and resources that will in due time yield $1,000,000 or more of profit for ALL its stockholders. Being founded on Lands and Homes, owned by the ONE corporation in which the ONE SET of SHAREHOLDERS SHARE ALL ALIKE (without the responsibilities and risks incident to several corporations without guarantees other than the natural one offered by ALL THE ASSETS and RESOURCES being owned by and securing ALL the stockholders.) MUTUAL stands almost alone in the field of SAFE and PROFITABLE investments among modern and financial institutions and

Home Builders

The advance in value of Mutual shares (Now $1.30 each and January 2, 1911, $1.40) must be in keeping with the continued rapid growth of Los Angeles and of the consequent

Handsome Profits

assured by 1200 beautiful lots bought right within 20 minutes of the official center of the city that are bound to increase in value by leaps and bounds as further improvements are made by the ONE CORPORATION that will divide with but ONE set of stockholders share and share alike.

Remember $1.30 Today
Remember $1.40 Jan. 2, 1911

Terms 10 per cent. down, 5 per cent. monthly or all cash with 2 1-2 per cent. dividend for the quarter ending December 31, 1910, payable January 2, 1911, to all who call, and remitted January 16th if you do not call.

"Mutual Investor" and "The Right Way" truthfully tell you more and are free to those who call or write.

Mutual Home Building Corporation

204 Higgins Building. Main 3290. PHONES Corner Second and Main Streets. Home A3275.

TRACT OFFICE—4300 N. Griffin Ave. Take Griffin Avenue car going North on Spring Street. FIVE-CENT fare. Phone 31466.

Beautiful Furs
For Christmas Presents
Store Open Evenings Until Christmas.
OBRIKAT FUR CO.
THIRD & HILL STS.

STAUB'S
THE GOOD SHOES
Broadway, Corner Third

LOS ANGELES LIMITED TO CHICAGO
THREE DAYS

Cities and Towns of Los Angeles County.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

Pasadena.

TWO THOUSAND INCHES NEEDED.

CONCLUSION OF CROWN CITY'S COMMITTEE REPORT.

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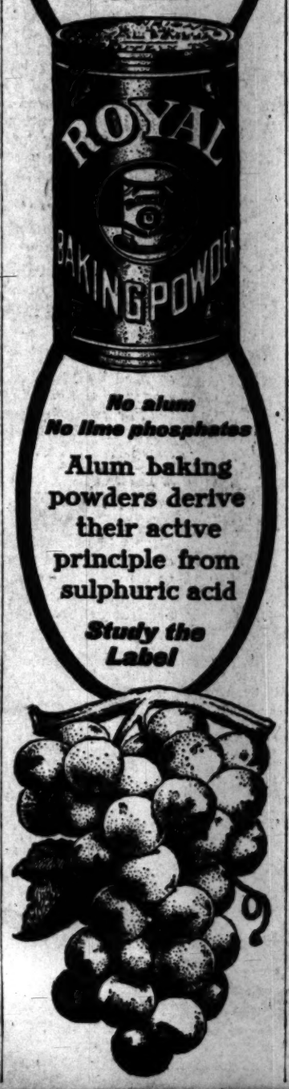

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Our First Big--

Clearance Sale of Suits

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$18.50
Values to $32.50

Among these suits are black and blue cheviots, mannish worsteds, boucles and handsome basket weaves. All of the season's most desirable shades are shown, in suits regularly priced as high as $32.50. Better select from these Wednesday, as they will be taken very quickly at $18.50.

$24.50
Values to $45.00

This lot includes a large showing of suits — and among them are stout sizes running as high as 49-inch bust measure. They include, also, regular sizes for misses and women. Among them are blue serges, black serges, brown serges, mannish worsteds, black cheviots and a beautiful assortment of handsome broadcloths, in practically all shades. Values as high as $45—and every suit is a real bargain at our selling price—$24.50.

$28.50
Values to $65.00

This lot includes the finest tailored garments shown in our Women's Department—the clever, late ideas, in strictly plain skirts and short coats. Among them are basket weaves, mannish worsteds, rough cheviots, boucles, velvet, corduroy, etc. These garments have been priced as high as $65. You can have your choice from the assortment of about 100 suits at $28.50.

Handsome Coats
$14.75
Values to $25

A special assortment of handsome Coats—garments for street and auto wear—generously long and splendidly tailored. Every size is shown, with just a few garments in each fabric. Among them are Black, Broadcloths and a wide variety of handsome rough stuffs. The coloring you are looking for is among them—the style and finish—just the effect to please you. The selling price—$14.75—is just about half the value of some of these Coats.

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This Company claims to have paid its stockholders more than any other similar company in the world in cash dividends. During the past year it has paid its stockholders from actual profits, the enormous total of $448,392.11 in cash, and its shares have advanced 40 cents.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

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...OFFICES
...ONE DAY LATE.

...ATTORNEY OF SOUTH-
...NTY GIVES OPINION.

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...Officials Will Assume
...ice on Second Day of
...Even Though Monday
...oliday.

[BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...O (Cal.) Dec. 27.—[Exclu-
...ve.] An opinion rendered
...day by City Atty. H. S. Utley no-
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...r Auditor Hammond.
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...B. Depeschier and Lillian
...Los Angeles were mar-
...by Rev. L. T. Guild of-
...also married Vincent
...Denver, Colo., and
...Tordell of Indianapolis.

...EXPECTED.

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...BARBARA, Dec. 27.—Au-
...ies received here yester-
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...under the fact that he
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...pair of nose-glasses to
...Marshal Sawyer
...man at the Santa Fé
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Santa Ana.

BIG DAMAGE SUITS ARE FILED.

PACIFIC ELECTRIC DEFENDANT IN FOUR NEW CASES.

Complaints Allege That the Company's Bridge Across the Santa Ana River Was Responsible For Overflow Upon Farming Lands Last January.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Four damage suits have been brought in the Superior Court against the Pacific Electric Company on the ground that the company's bridge across the Santa Ana River north of Fifth street was responsible for overflow upon farming lands on January 1, 1910. Other suits may follow. The complaints allege that the piles of the bridge were so close together that they caught brush and turned the river out of its channel.

E. L. House brought suit ten days ago for $5000 damages to land and crops. Saturday the Santa Ana Jersey Farm sued for $7000. Today Perry Neeley sued for $3162.50 and Allen McDowell for $835.

Leodora Garcia, charged with attempting to kill Luis Manzo, was today held to answer for trial. Without a shadow of interest in his expression, Garcia, whose spirit is broken by a long stay in a Mexican jail and by dreams of dead men crawling over him, heard the story of his firing six shots at Manzo's back, three of which took effect.

Jealousy.

LOVER SHOOTS MEXICAN RIVAL.

ONTARIO SCENE OF FURIOUS SHOOTING AFFAIR.

Man Finds Gallant With His Lady Love and Opens Fusillade Seriously Wounding the Intruder—Woman Who Caused the Affair is a Pretty Portuguese.

ONTARIO, Dec. 27.—Manuel Storges, on returning to his home at noon today found Joe Monte with the woman with whom he was living and immediately opened fire. Five shots were fired and Monte was wounded in the arms and shoulders. After the shooting Storges ran past the Golden State Creamery and disappeared in the orange groves. Constable Hardy at once formed a posse and started in pursuit in an automobile, but up to midnight the man had not been found.

The woman with whom Storges was living is a Portugese beauty, named Marie Rosa, who is much admired by the young Mexicans of Sonoratown.

Monte, the victim of Storges's jealousy will recover.

RULING FAVORS WOMAN.

Santa Barbara Judge Decrees That Woman Does Not Have to Produce Letter in Court.

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] According to a decision handed down today by Judge Crow in the Superior Court, Mrs. Louise Timson does not have to produce a letter alleged to have been written to her by E. P. Stone, a millionaire clubman of Boston. The court, however, ordered the woman to answer many questions concerning allegations made by Mrs. Sylvia L. P. Brownell, a rich woman of the Montecito colony in her suit against Mrs. Timson for the recovery of $8800. Mrs. Brownell alleges that Mrs. Timson borrowed the money while she was being courted by William A. W. Brownell, son of the complainant. When Mrs. Timson and the young man had a falling out, Mrs. Brownell instituted the suit.

WHO STARTED FIRE?

Colton Citizens Cannot Quite Comprehend the Origin of City Hall Blaze—Records are Spoiled.

COLTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The City Hall escaped destruction by fire this morning by the narrowest margin. It is not known whether the act was incendiary or mere carelessness. Distillate is used in the stove of the council room, which also includes the offices of the City Clerk, Water Collector and Water Superintendent.

The Collector, August Johnson, entered the office this morning and found the room in flames, the damper had been turned completely off and the distillate was running full force. The contents of the room were all black, including the city records. As none of the city officers were in town, Mr. Johnson is at a loss as to how the fire occurred. Janitor John Wenck strenuously denied any carelessness on his part.

ANAHEIM.

ANAHEIM, Dec. 27.—A plan is now being agitated here to consolidate the Anaheim Union High School and the Fullerton Union High School districts, to be known as the Northern Union High School, the school grounds and buildings to be located midway between Fullerton and Anaheim. It is proposed to purchase about thirty acres of good land and to have an agricultural course and experimental farm in connection with the school.

By doing this it is thought a large and well equipped school would be established from which students would receive more advantages than from either of the schools if continued in their present condition. The plan has the endorsement of the board of trustees of both schools and is meeting with favor from the patrons of the schools.

San Bernardino.

TRESPASS SUIT COMES TO NAUGHT.

COURT STATES THAT ANY OTHER DECISION WOULD COST LIVES.

Testimony Showed That Herds Wandered Back and Forth With Full Consent of Owners and That Trespass Law in That Section is a Dead Law.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 27.—Justice C. L. Thomas today gave judgment for the defendant in the suit brought by R. M. Coomes against Felipe Quiros to recover $299 for trespass of the defendant's cattle upon the Coomes cattle range on the Mojave River. The testimony showed that Coomes had permitted the trespass for three years. The court, in the decision, states that if judgment should go for Coomes it would result in a bloody war among the desert cattlemen, and the loss of many valuable lives. The testimony showed there is no fence between the ranges of defendant and plaintiff, and both their herds wandered back and forth on the two pastures unrestricted. The suit has aroused much interest among cattlemen on the desert, where there is a continual trespass of herds, the owners of the ranges having an unwritten agreement among them to tolerate trespassing.

Mrs. Florence B. Akey of Ontario this morning commenced an action for divorce against D. H. Akey, the wealthy Ontario land owner, who is in jail awaiting sentence for a statutory offense against 14-year-old Ludti Valentine. The action was filed by Dist.-Atty. W. E. Byrne and Assistant District-Attorney R. B. Goodcell, who prosecuted Akey in the Superior Court last week, securing a conviction after the jury had been out just long enough to cast a ballot. The complaint, it is understood, is based upon Akey's conviction of a felony. Tomorrow morning his motion for a new trial will be argued before Judge Oster, after which, if the motion is denied, he will probably be sentenced. Whether the action for divorce, which involves the property rights of the couple and the homestead recently placed on the home place by Mrs. Akey, will prove a fatal handicap to the prisoner when he seeks bonds to secure his freedom pending the results of appeal, is a problem.

James E. Lindon and Thomas Stanton are being detained in the County Jail by orders of Chief of Police W. A. Shay, on suspicion of being the two alleged footpads who shot William Morgan through the shoulder and neck Christmas eve, robbing him of a small amount of money. Morgan has partly identified Stanton. Both prisoners deny any connection with the hold-up, but refused to give any account of themselves. One of the suspects was armed with a 41-caliber revolver, which had been recently discharged.

TO OUST HOSPITAL.

Dist.-Atty. R. E. Byrne has been given instructions by the supervisors to so amend the pesthouse ordinance as to bring it within the meaning of the criminal code. The ordinance was drafted for the purpose of driving The Settlement, a tuberculosis hospital, from Mentone back to its former location in San Timoteo Canyon. Recently Judge F. F. Oster knocked the ordinance out on a writ of habeas corpus brought by Dr. Moseley, president of the hospital, who had been arrested for violating the ordinance. The court held that, as drawn, the ordinance sought to make a private nuisance a public one, and pointed out its weak places. Under the amended ordinance, the effort to remove the hospital will again be attempted.

CALL BOND ELECTION.

The Board of Supervisors today decided on a bond issue of $225,000 for the purchase of the Megginson ranch, east of San Bernardino, for County Hospital purposes. The bonds will bear either 4½ or 5 per cent. interest, and run forty years. Thus the man who is assessed at $5000 will pay $10 per year on the issue. Supervisor Horton suggested that the bonds be split up into small denominations in order that workmen might have a chance to purchase them. The suggestion was not regarded as practical. The bond issue will serve to purchase the land and also erect suitable buildings for the hospital, county poor house and detention home.

LICENSED TO WED.

Licenses were issued today to Allie Carlin Keller, native of California, over 1, and Etta Melton, native of Ohio, over 18, residents of San Bernardino; Ollie D. Carter, native of Kansas, age 24, resident of Fresno, and Hattie Josephine Kauffman, native of Nebraska, age 24, resident of Redlands; James McLaren, native of Scotland, age 34, and Agnes Andrina Ferguson, native of Scotland, age 24, residents of Redlands; Madison T. Amos, native of Alabama, age 40, resident of Silverlake, and Mary H. Clark, native of Scotland, age 26, resident of Redlands; Fred H. Fuller, native of California, age 21, resident of San Francisco, and Etta M. Salber, native of Iowa, age 33, resident of Clarinda, Iowa.

ELECT DEFEATED MAN.

After several years with only one constable, this township is now to have a brace of these officers. Today the Board of Supervisors appointed W. D. Allen constable, to share the office with John Nish, who was elected on the Democratic ticket at the recent election. Allen is the present incumbent, having been defeated by Nish. According to the new law, a township with 5000 population shall have two constables. Allen landed under this law. Redlands is the only other township in the county with two such officers.

AUCTION

Wednesday, December 28,

at 10 A.M. Sharp.

The contents of the 11-room residence at No. 718 CROCKER STREET.

On account of parties going east we will sell the contents of above residence at public auction by the piece:

One very fine Mahogany Case Upright "Shirmer" Piano, cost $450.00. Axminster and Brussels Rugs, Bureaus, Hotel Dressers, Folding Beds, Sanitary and other couches, Morris Chairs, Brass Enameled Beds, Dining Table and Chairs, Rockers, Stands, Curtains, Gas Plates, Cook Stoves, Carpets, and everything in the General Housekeeping line.

Furniture Agents and Dealers will profit by attending this sale.

No reserve whatever. Terms Cash.

California Auction Co.

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Office: 322-324 So. Main St.

AUCTION

Thursday, Dec. 29th, 10:00 sharp, at 655 West 17th st. Six rooms of fine furniture, oak dressers, with plate mirrors, brass finished bedsteads, Jumbo springs, hair and cotton mattresses, sheets, comforts, spreads, pillows, 50 extra beddings, 8x6 9x12 Axminster and Brussels rugs, small rugs, 40 yards hall and stair carpet, dining and kitchen tables, gas range, chairs, oak and mahogany rockers, drophead Singer sewing machine, lace curtains, mahogany and other small tables, china, glass and silverware, cooking utensils; sale positive; Washington st. car. R. N. KEMP, Auctioneer. Office, 410 Bryson Bldg. Phones A4206, Main 8216.

AUCTION

8-Room Modern House. Lot 40x139.
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Friday, Dec. 30th, at 3 P.M.

This property is in first-class condition. Tinted walls, screen porch, stained floors, porcelain bath and toilet, built-in buffet and brick fireplace (hard coal burn), on good street and neighborhood. Very liberal terms will be given. Take Moneta ave. 61st st. cars.

THE R. H. STROUSE CO., Auctioneers.
216 Central Building.
Phones—Bdwy. 1545, F1705.

Headed Off.

A WORD CLASH NIPPED IN BUD.

SCHOOL BOARD GIVES SETBACK TO PROPOSED DISTRICT.

Site Suggested on Westmoreland Avenue Characterized as Mosquito-Infested and Precipitates Hot Argument Why It Should Be Accepted as Residents Want It.

The proposed new school district, to center around the far end of Westmoreland avenue, got another setback last night. The Board of Education decided, by a vote of five out of the six members present, that it doesn't care to go down in its pocket to the extent of $15,000 for the site offered at Third and Westmoreland avenue, and which was characterized by Steddom as a mosquito-infested slough and without any exception at all, the worst school site in the city.

Martin L. Smith, one of those interested in the sale, was on hand with a census of the children of school age within a radius of half a mile in all directions from the proposed site, the number of which he computed to be 228.

Both this and other statements to the effect that a school district is earnestly desired there and that that particular site is the one favored by the residents thereabouts, were taken exception to by members of the West End Improvement Association. A dispute that threatened to become decidedly heated was headed off by referring it abruptly to the Building Committee.

An interesting legal point was raised by Chairman Scott as to the validity of official acts made by the board upon what he suggested was possibly an unauthorized time of meeting, in that the board was not officially called for its meeting last night.

The latter was supposed to be in lieu of the regular meeting, postponed through a legal holiday, but it was pointed out that no provision is made for such a contingency by the rules.

Accordingly, the City Attorney will be asked this morning to decide if the board must meet again today to ratify what it did last night.

Statistical reports showed a total enrollment in the grammar grades of 40,227 pupils during November. Of these, 20,586 were boys and 19,641 girls. The average daily attendance was 36,516. The high schools showed a total enrollment of 6237, of which 3102 were boys and 3135 girls, and an average daily attendance of 5467.

Resignations were accepted from Viola Justice and Mrs. Anna M. O'Brien. Leave of absence was granted Helen Cole, Catharine L. Avery, Helen Reed, Virginia E. Beer and Harriet D. Geroud.

It was decided by unanimous vote to apply to the United States government for a suitable site for the proposed new marine laboratory to be located at San Pedro, for the construction of which $500 was recently voted by the board.

Grand Circuit Convention.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27.—H. K. Devereux, president of the grand circuit, today issued a call for a national convention of all horsemen to meet in Buffalo, January 9. The object is said to be "the betterment of all trotting interests, whether track managers, owners or trainers." Mr. Devereux also issued a call for the annual meeting of stewards of the grand circuit to be held in Buffalo, January 10.

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In addition to the ample regular train service from Southern California points, Special Trains will be operated via Chino and Puente to Aviation Field as follows: Leave Riverside 8:15 a.m., Dec. 24th, 27th, 30th. Leave San Bernardino 9:25 a.m., Dec. 25th, 28th, Jan. 1st. Leave Redlands 9:10 a.m., Dec. 26th, 29th, 31st. Leave Colton 9:35 a.m., Ontario 10:05 a.m., Chino 10:15 a.m., Pomona 10:27 a.m. Daily, Dec. 24th, 1910, to Jan. 1st, 1911. Returning leave Los Angeles 6:45 p.m., same dates.

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10 A. M. and 2 P. M.
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Of entire contents Moore's second-hand store, 913 S. Main St., Thursday, Dec. 29th, at 10 a.m., and continue until the entire stock is disposed of. Above consists of iron beds, springs, mattresses, bedding, carpets, rockers, pictures, tables, hall trees, desks, book cases, lamps, dining room furniture, heaters, gas plates and ranges of every description, hardware, in fact a general assortment of everything used for housekeeping.

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Business: Markets—Finance and Trade.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Dec. 28, 1910.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $3,311,070.67. For the corresponding day of 1909, $2,140,373.66; for the same day of 1908, $1,437,542.31.

Monday	Holiday
Tuesday	$3,311,070.67
Total	$3,311,070.67
Same time, 1909	2,140,373.66
Same time, 1908	1,437,542.31

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	27.50	....
American Crude Oil	....	40
American Pet. Co. pfd.	56.00	59.00
American Pet. Co. com.	55.00	56.50
Associated Oil	49.00	49.50
California Midway Oil Co.	.54½	....
Central	1.82	....
Cleveland Oil Co.	7.00	7.50
Columbia	1.00	....
Consol. Midway Oil Co.	....	.39½
Continental Oil	....	.25
Euclid Oil Co.	....	.56
Fullerton Oil	2.50	5.00
Globe	....	.12
Jade Oil Co.	.20	.25½
Mexican Pet. Ltd. pfd.	63.00	65.00
Mexican Pet. Ltd. com.	26.37½	26.50
Mascot Oil Co.	....	2.25
New Pennsyl. Pet. Co.	.50	.90
Olinda Land Co. (Oil)	....	.57
Palmer Oil Co.	1.62	.65
Perseus Oil Co.	....	.28
Final Oil Co.	....	9.50
Pyramid Oil Co.	.20	.30
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	....	.90
Trader's Oil Co.	....	80.00
Union	96.75	100.00
Union Provident Co.	97.50	100.00
United Petroleum	99.50	101.00
United Oil Co.	.76	....
Western Union	....	80.00
Oleum Development Co.	.07¾	.09

*Per thousand shares.

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
All Night & Day Bank	$ 80.00	....
American Savings Bank	160.00	....
Bank of So. California	....	307.00
B'way Bank & Trust	150.00	....
Central Nat'l Bank	275.00	280.00
Citizens' National	224.00	230.00
Commercial National	150.00	....
Farmers & Mer. Nat'l	275.00	....
First National	492.50	510.00
German American Savgs.	795.00	805.00
Globe Savings Bank	295.00	300.00
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	116.00	....
Merchants' National	180.00	....
Nat'l Bank of California	190.00	....
National Bank of Com.	207.00	400.00
Security Savings Bank	....	....
The Southern Trust Co.	74.50	....
(50 per cent. paid up.)		
U. S. National Bank	135.00	....

BONDS.

(All bonds sold flat.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum	75	....
Associated Oil 6s	100	100½
California 3 sc. 37	....	....
Corona City Water Co.	....	....
Corona Water & W. Co.	....	....
Pacoima Water Co.	....	102½
Edison El. Co. 1st R.	101	....
Edison El. Co. ohs.	....	....
Home Telephone Co.	87½	....
Home Tel. Co. 1st Refg.	49	75
Hydraulic	....	....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	101¼	....
L. A. Pac. 1st con. 5s.	....	....
L. A. Pac. Ry. Gen. Con.	....	....
L. A. Pac. 1st Ref. 5s.	....	....
L. A. & Pasadena El.	101	....
L. A. Railway Co.	104½	110
L. A. Railway 5s.	....	....
L. A. Traction Co.	....	....
Mexican Nat'l Gas Co.	....	....
Mexican Nat'l Ry. & El. Co.	....	99½
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	103	....
Pacific Light & Power Co.	95¾	96¾
Pacific Lighting Co.	....	100
Pomona Con. Water Co.	....	107½
Riverside Ry. & P. Co.	....	....
Sierra Mad. Mtr. & T. Co.	....	73
San Diego Ry. Co.	....	75½
S. D. M. T. & T. 1st mtg.	67¾	....
Tonopah Water Co.	....	....
Tulare Transportation Co.	93½	97½
U. S. Long Dist. T. & T. Co.	....	....
Visalia Water Co.	....	....
Whittier Home T. & T. Co.	....	....

BANKS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$ 60.00	....
Edison Electric pfd.	....	70.00
Edison Electric com.	57.00	60.00
Home Telephone pfd.	89.50	....
Home Telephone com.	3.50	....
Hamilton Club	....	1....
L. A. Athletic Club	....	180.00
L. A. Brewing Co.	....	105.00
L. A. Investment Co.	2.50	3.50
Mexican Nat'l Gas Co.	30.00	....
Pasadena S. P. Co.	17.00	18.00
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	200.00	....
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	....	5....
Southern Home T. & T. Co.	....	24.00
S. Monica B. H. T. pfd.	8.50	....
San Luis Ob.	....	1.50
Title Ins. & T. Co. pfd.	250.00	....
Title Ins. & T. Co.	175.00	....
Title Ins. & T. Co. com.	170.00	....
Title Ins. & T. Co.	....	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co. pfd	28.50	35.00
United Security Bldg.	....	....
Western Home T. & T. Co.	....	....

SALES—Morning session: 150 Amer. Pet. Co. com. at 56.50; 200 Cal. Midway at 54¾; 7000 Cleveland Oil at 6.87½ per 1000; 1000 Cal. Midway at 3⅞; 50 Mex. P. Ltd. com. at 26.50; 10 Union at 98.75.

SALES—Afternoon session: 10 Associated Oil Co. at 49.50; 30 do. at 49.25; 2000 Cleveland at 7.75 per 1000; 2000 do. at 8.00 per 1000; 2500 do. at 7.62½ per 1000; 500 Int. Pet. Ltd. com. at 26.62½; 4 Union at 100.00; 30 do. at 99.25.

MINING STOCKS.

CALIFORNIA.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Hills M. Co.	....	....

NEVADA.

Miscellaneous.		
Johnnie M. & M. Co.	.14	.15

LOCAL PRODUCE MAKERT.

A battle yesterday for the supremacy of the egg market—for a day at least—was one of the most exciting trade incidents on Los Angeles markets for many a day. One of the traders started by offering 32 cents for case count eggs. The market was 28 cents to open. With receipts of three dozen undistributed, there was a surplus in the hands of a number of dealers. One of them finally came down to 31 cents. He sold ten cases, then ten more, and the spirit reached others. The trader offering 32 was almost buried with sales that came thick and fast for two minutes. At the end of that time he had purchased 140 cases of local eggs and left the others, if any, in the market in his hands. Before some of the dealers awakened to the fact, he had sold some of his purchases at 34 cents. 34 cents above his buying price, and at this figure the market remained for the rest of the day. It was one of the fastest, cleverest business deals on the Produce Exchange in some time, and probably kept the market from going to pieces completely. One dealer afterward admitted that he would have sold eggs as low as 29 cents in order to clear up the situation standing in his store. Receipts of yesterday morning were 129 cases. The final quotations on eggs of local production stand at 34 cents for case count and 38 cents on candled.

Butter arrivals were 13,196 pounds. There was a fair call for creamery extra, but the best demand was for ladle stock and eastern storage. The market remained steady. In San Francisco the 25 cent quotation was upheld. Chicago exacted 29 cents and New York 31 cents on the commodity.

Roquefort cheese was one of the fair sellers on the cheese list. Offerings were not very large and prices were unchanged. Receipts were 228 pounds.

Potato receipts were 9686 sacks. The demand was fairly good. Highlands advanced to $1.85 per hundred, wholesale, and other varieties remained unchanged.

Onion receipts, 4000 sacks, or a car of Australian brown from the central section of the State. Pink and small white beans sold pretty well. Limas were particularly firm. Receipts were 400 sacks.

Sweet potatoes wholesaled at $2.15 per hundred. There was a good call for them. Receipts of the day were 252 sacks.

Apple arrivals were 1800 boxes, or three cars. Two of the cars came from Oregon and one from this State. The demand for fruit was fair, but there were no features.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Fresh local ranch, candled, selected, 38; local ranch, case count, selling price, 34; eastern, 32; storage, extras, 30; firsts, 28; thirds, 26.

BUTTER—Price to trade as above quotations. Creamery, extras, 32 per lb.; creamery, firsts, 30½; ladle 28 per lb.; cooking, 25.

CHEESE—Northern fresh, 20; Oregon daisies, 19; eastern daisies, 20; Oregon Swiss, 19@19½; Oregon Long-cheddars, 19; Oregon Young Americas, 18; Imported Roquefort, 38; Limburger, 19@20; cream brick, twenty-one pound, 24@27; per case, $.90@1.35; Camembert, 1.50 per box; German Breakfast, Sierra, 1.50 per box; Neufchatel, 1.50 per box; Camembert, 1.35 per box; Schlosskase, 1.00 per box; Canada Cheese, 1.80@1.9 per box; Roquefort, 2.50@3.00

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Shares and Money.

SHORT SELLERS POUND STOCKS.

ACTIVE ISSUES LOSE POINT OR MORE ON DAY.

Reactionary Trend of Past Week Becomes Still More Pronounced; Small Volume of Trading Marks Session of New York Exchange. European Markets Featureless.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The trend toward reaction which dominated last week's operations in the stock market became rather more pronounced at the resumption of business today, and resulted in losses of a point and over in the better known issues with more severe declines in certain specialties. Trading throughout the session was small in volume. If subtle conditions may be accepted, heaviness of the market was largely due to the aggressive short selling by the professional group which only recently was more or less conspicuous for the extent of its commitments to the other side. The closing of a local State bank whose troubles are commonly believed to be an aftermath of the panic of 1907, while in no particular sense a market factor, was hardly helpful to the bull accounts. The bank's difficulties, however, served to call attention to the latest report of the State banking department which demonstrates the strong position of a majority of these institutions compared with a year ago. The London Stock Exchange was closed today, and European markets generally were dull and featureless. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,230,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

CLOSING PRICES—ACTUAL SALES.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotation today:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Ask.
.....	Atlantic C. L.	....	....	114	114½
.....	Atl. Chalmers	....	....	5	6½
200	Allis Chal. pfd.	30	30	30	32
2,900	Amalg. Copper	69¾	67¼	67¼	67⅝
400	Am. Agr. Chem.	45½	45¼	45½	46
.....	Am. Agr. C. pfd	....	....	90	....
200	Am. Car & Fdy.	69¾	69¾	70	80
.....	Am. C. & F. pfd.	....	....	113	115
500	Am. Can Co.	8¾	8¾	8¾	9
200	Am. Can Co. pfd.	76½	76½	76¾	77
8,200	Am. Beet Sugar	42¾	42¾	42	43½
.....	Am. R. Sugar pfd.	....	....	90	94½
.....	Am. Cotton Oil	....	....	50	52½
.....	Am. Cot. Oil pfd.	....	....	102	103
.....	Am. Ice Securities	....	....	17½	17¾
.....	Am. Smelters	....	....	109	110
100	Am. Hide & L.	4¾	4¾	4	4½
.....	Am. H. & L. pfd.	....	....	21	22½
.....	Am. Linseed	....	....	11	12½
100	Am. Linseed pfd.	....	....	31	32
500	Am. Locomotive	30½	30½	30¼	30½
.....	Am. Loco. pfd.	....	....	105½	107
100	Am. Steel Fdy.	42	42	42	43
1,000	Am. S. & R. Co.	12¾	12¾	12¾	13¼
100	Am. S. & R. pfd.	104½	104½	105½	106½
100	Am. Sugar	114	114	113	116
100	Am. Sugar pfd.	113	113	112	115
1,200	Am. Tel. & Tel.	141¼	141¼	141¼	142
100	Am. Tob. pfd.	92½	92½	92½	93½
200	Am. Woolen	32	31	30¾	32
.....	Am. Woolen pfd.	....	....	93	92
100	Anaconda	39¾	39¾	39	39¾
1,700	A. T. & S. F.	100½	99¾	99½	100
400	A. T. & S. F. pfd.	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
400	Balt. & Ohio	104½	104½	104¼	104¾
.....	B. & O. pfd.	....	....	98	99½
.....	Bethlehem Steel	....	....	27¾	28½
.....	Beth. Steel pfd.	....	....	56	58
1,000	Brooklyn R. T.	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
100	Canadian Pacific	193½	193½	193¾	194
400	C. & O.	80	80	80	80
700	Central Leather	31¾	31¼	31	31½
.....	Central L. pfd.	....	....	102¾	104
.....	Chicago & Alton	....	....	27	30
.....	C. & A. pfd.	....	....	60	....
.....	C. G. W.	....	....	12	13
.....	C. & G. W. pfd.	....	....	44¼	45½
.....	C. & N. W.	....	....	144¼	144¾
.....	C. & N. W. pfd.	....	....	180	182
2,100	C. M. & St. P.	122½	121¾	121¾	122
200	Do. pfd.	142½	142½	142¾	143¾
.....	C. C. & St. L.	....	....	98	99½
.....	Do. pfd.	....	....	99¾	100
.....	Colo. Fuel & Iron	....	....	39¾	40¾
.....	C. G. W. 1st pfd.	....	....	116½	117
.....	C. H. C. & I.	....	....	44	45
100	Colo. Southern	57	57	56½	58
.....	Colo. So. 1st pfd.	....	....	77	78
.....	Colo. So. 2nd pfd.	....	....	69	70
11,700	Consolidated Gas	136½	135¼	136	136¾
300	Corn Products	14½	14¾	14¼	14¾
200	Do. pfd	78	78	76	79
100	Del. & Hudson	163	163	162	164
.....	D. L. & W.	....	....	570	577
100	D. & R. G.	29	29	28	29½
300	D. & R. G. pfd.	69	69	68	69
400	Distilling Sec.	23	23	21	24
.....	D. S. S. & A.	....	....	109	113
.....	D. S. S. & A. pfd.	....	....	116	118
800	Erie	27¾	27	26¾	27¾
.....	Erie 1st pfd.	....	....	43½	44
.....	Erie 2nd pfd.	....	....	34	35
1,700	General Electric	152	151	151¾	152¾
300	Gt. Northern pfd.	132½	132	132	133½
100	Gt. No. Ore Ctfs.	54¾	54¾	54	55¾
.....	Illinois Central	....	....	139½	140
200	Int'l Harv. Co.	109¾	109¾	109	109¾
100	Int'l Harv. pfd.	122	122	121¾	123¾
.....	Int'l Paper	....	....	17¾	18
.....	Int'l Paper pfd.	....	....	54¾	54½
200	Int'l Pump	46	46	45	46
.....	Int'l Pump pfd.	....	....	88½	89
.....	Iowa Central	....	....	17½	18
400	Iowa Central pfd.	32¾	31	30½	31
1,400	K. C. Southern	32¾	31¾	32	32¾
60	K. C. So. pfd.	....	....	63	64
100	L. & N.	143¾	143¾	143¼	144
600	Laclede Gas com.	105¾	105	105	105¾
.....	Laclede Gas pfd.	....	....	96	102
400	Manhattan	139¾	139	138	139
2,000	Inter-Met.	19½	19½	19¼	19½
1,400	Inter-Met. pfd.	63	62	63¼	63½
100	Mex. Central Ctfs.	24	24	24	24¼
.....	Mex. C. 1st pfd.	....	....	66	72
.....	Mackay	....	....	80	85
.....	Mackay pfd	....	....	74	80
.....	Minn. & St. L.	....	....	34	35
.....	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	....	61
.....	M., St. P. & S. S. M.	....	....	152½	153½
100	Do. pfd.	146	146	145	150
500	M., K. & Texas.	22¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
100	M., K. & T. pfd.	62	62	61¾	62
.....	Missouri Pacific	....	....	65¾	66¾
200	National Lead	55	55	52	54
.....	Nat'l Lead pfd.	....	....	116	117½
.....	Nat'l Biscuit	....	....	116½	118
.....	Nat'l Biscuit pfd.	....	....	122	124
300	Nevada Con.	19¾	19¼	19¼	19¾
100	N. Y. Air Brake	....	....	68	72
1,200	N. Y. Central	110¾	109¾	109¾	110¾
.....	N. Y., C. & St. L.	....	....	65	68
.....	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	104	110
.....	Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	85	92
.....	N. Y. Ont. & W.	....	....	40½	41
1,500	Norfolk & W.	90¾	89¾	89¾	90
.....	N. & W. pfd.	....	....	86	89
100	North American	44¾	44¾	44	45
1,100	Northern Pacific	115¾	115	115¼	115¾
.....	Omaha	....	....	135	140
.....	Omaha pfd.	....	....	130	133
200	Pacific Mail	30¾	30¾	30	30¾
500	Pac. Tel. & Tel.	27¾	27	27¼	27¾
.....	Pac. T. & T. pfd.	....	....	82	90½
1,600	Penn. R. R. Co.	125¾	125¼	125	125¾
100	People's Gas	106¾	106¾	105	105¾
.....	Pitts. Coal	....	....	17	18¾
.....	Pitts. Coal pfd.	....	....	87½	90
100	Pressed Steel Car.	39	39	38½	39¾
.....	P. Steel Car pfd.	....	....	90	94½
.....	Pacific Coast	....	....	98	100
.....	P. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	96	99½
.....	Do. pfd.	....	....	106	112
.....	Pullman	....	....	178	180
200	Ry. Steel Springs	83¼	81¾	80	83
100	Ry. Steel S. pfd.	92	92	91	93
6,600	Reading	159¾	158	158¾	159¾
.....	Reading 1st pfd.	....	....	87½	90
.....	Reading 2nd pfd.	....	....	82	84
600	Republic I. & S.	30¾	30	30	30¾
.....	R. I. & S. pfd.	....	....	91½	92
2,200	Rock Island	23¾	23	23¾	23¾
.....	Rock Island pfd.	....	....	59½	61
.....	Sloss S. & I.	....	....	49¾	50¾
.....	S. B. & S. & I. pfd.	....	....	112	113½
100	St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd	65	65	60	65
100	St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd	28	28	27¾	28
.....	St. L. & S. W.	....	....	28	28
.....	Do. pfd.	....	....	59¾	62
2,600	Southern Pacific	115	113¾	113¾	114¼
1,000	Southern Railway	26¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
200	Southern Ry. pfd.	61	60¾	60	61¾
.....	Third Ave. Ry.	....	....	39	39½
100	Tenn. Copper	34¾	34¾	34	34½
.....	Texas Pacific	....	....	25¾	26¾
.....	T., St. L. & W.	....	....	29¾	30¾
.....	T., St. L. & W. pfd.	....	....	53	53
.....	Twin City R. T.	....	....	107¾	110
.....	U. B. & P. Co.	....	....	4	5
.....	U. B. & P. pfd.	....	....	54	55
67,300	Union Pacific	160¾	159¾	160¼	160¾
1,600	U. P. pfd.	....	....	93	94
1,500	Utah Copper	45	44¾	44¾	45¼
100	U. R. & E. of S. F.	....	....	28	30
100	Do. pfd.	....	....	58	60
.....	U. S. C. Iron Pipe	....	....	23¾	25¾
100	U. S. C. I. P. pfd	50½	50½	50	52
.....	U. S. Express	....	....	96	105
.....	U. S. Marine Co.	....	....	4½	6
.....	U. S. Marine pfd.	....	....	14¾	16¾
.....	U. S. R. & Cons.	....	....	68¾	70
.....	U. S. R. & R. Co.	....	....	6¾	7
.....	U. S. R. & R. pfd.	....	....	14	17
1,000	U. S. Rubber	34½	33¾	34	34¾
200	U. S. R. 1st pfd.	109¾	109¾	109¾	110
.....	U. S. R. 2nd pfd.	....	....	71	77
67,200	U. S. Steel Cor.	72¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
1,600	U. S. Steel pfd.	119¾	118¾	119½	119¾
500	Va. Car. Chem.	61½	61¼	61¼	61¾
.....	Va. Car. C. pfd.	....	....	122	125
.....	Va. Coal & Coke.	....	....	56½	57
.....	Wabash	....	....	23¾	24¼
500	Wabash pfd.	33¾	33	33¾	34
.....	Wells-Fargo Ex.	....	....	140	150
300	Western Union	73	72½	73	73¾
1,200	Westinghouse	66½	65¾	65¾	66¾
.....	Wis. Cent. 1st pfd.	....	....	129	131
9,800	Western Md. com.	51½	50	50	50¾
700	Western Md. pfd.	77	75	76½	77
.....	W., S. & E.	....	....	5¾	6
6,100	Wheeling & L. E. 1st pfd.	72	72	70	72
.....	Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	5	7
.....	Wisconsin Central.	....	....	55	57
3,800	Goldfield Cons.	6½	6¾	5¾	6¼
.....	Jersey Central	....	....	200	250
8,400	Lehigh Valley	175¾	175¾	175½	176¼

Total sales—215,700 shares.

Money opened at 3% per cent.; highest, 3½ per cent.; lowest, 3¼ per cent.; last loan, 3¼ per cent; closed, 3@3½ per cent.; ruling rate, 3% per cent.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., members New York Stock Exchange, 115 West Fourth street.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The curb coppers generally today were under pressure, Chino sold down to 21 and Inspiration held close to 8¾. Miami, Ray Con. and Ohio were quiet. Cobalt Central was the most active of the low-priced issues, about 20,000 shares changing hands from 6¼ to 10½ cents, as against 8¼ cents at the close Friday. About 6000 shares of Ely Central were wanted at 7 cents, and 50,000 shares at 8 cents. Boston coppers continue to show sagging tendency, although business is much restricted. The following were the closing bid and asked quotations:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Am. Tob. ...	415	....	United Cop.	3¾	4
Braden ...	4	4¼	De. pfd.	89	92
British Col.	7	7¼	Uni Rico	1	2
Butte Coal.	18	19	Yukon ...	3 13-16	3 13-16
Cal. & Hecla	315	325	Comb.	15	17
Chino	21¾	21¾	Jumbo Ex.	25	27
Con. Ariz.	1 7-16	1 9-16	Nev. Utah	75	80
Dolores	5¾	6¼	Mason Val.	9¾	10
Davis D.	1 7-16	1 9-16	Ely Cons.	30	32
El Rayo	3¾	3¾	Belmont	3 7-16	4¼
Ely Central.	6	7	Nev. Hills.	3¼	2 3-16
First Nat'l.	1 13-16	1¾	Mays	65	68
Giroux	6¾	6 12-16	Juno	13	16
Daisy	12	13	Keystone	2¾	3
Florence	1¾	1¾	S. Utah	1	1¼
Greene Can.	6¾	6¾	Colorado	34	37
Gug. Explo.	180	200	Tuolumne	4½	4¾
Inspiration	8 11-16	8¾	Boo	31	33
Inter Rub.	32¾	33	Aris & M.	2	2¼
Kerr Lake.	6¾	6 13-16	Bohemia	3	3½
La Rose	6¾	7¾	Boston Ely.	85	87
Miami	19¾	20¾	Calaveras	7¾	8
Mines of A.	5¾	6¾	Cactus	57	58
Mont. Shos.	5	10	Chief Cons.	1¾	1 9-16
Nipissing	10¾	11¼	Corbin	4	4¼
Ohio	1 7-16	1¾	Chemung	7	9
Ray Central	2 5-16	2 7-16	Ely Wrich.	1	1¼
Ray Cons.	17¾	18¼	Live Oak.	—	20¾
San Toy	22	30	Nev. Doug.	2¾	3¼
Standard M.	11	13	Oneco	2 1-16	2¼
Do. pfd.	13	14	St. Lake	7	7¾
Standard O.	616	612	Hancock	69	71
Sup. & Pch.	13	13¾	Helvetia	1¾	2
Tribullion	7-16	9-16			

Boston Copper Market.

BOSTON (Mass.) Dec. 27.—The buying of Superior and Pittsburgh was the only noticeable feature in the local list today. We don't look for any material change until after the first of the year and then we believe any activity will be followed by a sharp rise all through the list.

Following were closing quotations on the Boston Stock Exchange:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Ahmeek	170	190	Nev. Cons.	19¼	19¾
Adventure	6¾	....	Nev. Utah	80	85
Aris. Com'l.	1¾	1¾	Nipissing	10¾	11
Arcadian	3¾	4	Osceola	125	130
Arnold	50	75	Old Dom.	37	39
Allouez	38	39	Ohio	2¾	2¾
Atlantic	5¾	6	Indiana	11¾	12
B. S. Gas.	82	85	Algomah	....	....
Butte & L.	15	15	Old Colony.	80	90
Butte Coal.	18	19	Parrot	11¾	12¾
Black Mt.	8	15	Quincy	70	71
Centennial	13½	13	Santa Fe	1¾	2
C. & Ariz.	47	47¾	Shannon	11¾	11¾
C. & Hecla	640	650	Superior & Bos.	2¾	2¾
Con. Mercur	5	6	Sup. & Pitts.	13¾	14¼
Copper R.	67	67½	Sup. Copper	40	40¾
Davis Daly.	1¼	1¼	Tamarack	51	....
Daly West.	20	22	Trinity	4¾	5
East Butte.	11¾	11¾	Utah Con.	3	3¼
Elm River.	16	15	Utah Cons.	13	13½
Bohemia	2¾	2¾	U. S. M. & S.	....	....
Butte & B.	6¾	6¾	S. com.	34¾	34¾
Caledo	28	30	U. S. M. & S.	....	....
C. & A. pfd.	....	....	S. pfd.	47	47¾
Chief Cons.	1¾	1 9-16	Victoria	2	2½
Con. Ariz.	1¾	1 7-16	Winona	8¾	9
Bay. Cons.	17¾	18¼	Wolverine	112	120
First Nat'l.	1 13-16	1¾	Mt. Lake	2¾	3¼
Franklin	9	9¼	Ohio	1 7-16	1 9-16
Granby	37	38	St. Lake	7	7¼
Giroux	6¾	7¾	Shannon	11¾	11¾
Greene Can.	6¾	6¾	Sup. &Pch.	13¾	14¼
Helvetia	1¾	2	Sup. Copper	40	40¾
Hancock	70	71	Tamarack	51	....
Inde Royale.	16½	16¾	Trinity	4¾	5
Kew Con.	2	2¼	Utah Con.	3	3¼
Lake Cop.	28	28¼	Utah Cons.	13	13½
La Salle	7	7	U. S. M. & S.	....	....
Majestic	87	89	S. com.	34¾	34¾
Miami	19¾	19¾	U. S. M. & S.	....	....
Mohawk	45	46	S. pfd.	47	47¾
Michigan	2¾	2¾	Victoria	2	2½
Mass. Con.	7¾	7¾	Winona	8¾	9
Mayflower	90	90	Wolverine	112	120
N. Butte	23¾	23¾	Mt. Lake	2¾	3¼

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—Wool unchanged, medium grades, combing and clothing, 19@23; light fine, 20@22; heavy fine, 15@17; tub washed, 20@22.

IN CLOSER TOUCH.

Telephone Line Extension Proposed by Pacific Company From Banning to Imperial Valley and Yuma.

Yuma and the town of the Imperial Valley are to be put in much closer touch with the outside world according to a plan which was outlined to the local Land Office yesterday, when the Pacific Telegraph and Telephone Company made an application for the privilege of crossing government lands.

The company proposes to extend its lines from Banning through the valley and to Yuma. The route will follow the line of the Southern Pacific.

The announcement of the company is definite and to the effect that it will build both a telegraph and a telephone line as soon as it is given the necessary permission of the government.

The new telephone system which would thus be afforded means much to the residents of the interior. It will be a big boost in the development of Imperial Valley. Its effect will be to put the residents of this fertile region in almost immediate touch with this city. No one will appreciate the service any more than the large produce raisers, to whom market prices are vital questions.

The projected line is a pioneer, but the rapid settlement of the country along its route is said to justify the great expenditure which must be made.

It is probable that no difficulty in getting the government's consent to cross its lands will be experienced. The wards of Uncle Sam occupy the land in several places where it is desired to set the poles and string the wires.

Among the Indian reservations which the route crosses are those of the Morongo, Cabazon, Agua Caliente and Yuma tribes.

Santa Fe Holiday Rates.

The Santa Fe will sell holiday excursion tickets at one and one-third fare for the round trip between all stations on its lines where the one way fare is $10 or less. Tickets on sale December 23, 24, 25, 26, 30, 31, 1910, and January 1, 2, 1911. Final return limit January 3, 1911.

Hospitality.

STAGS GAMBOL, ORPHANS' GIFTS.

ELKS WILL ENTERTAIN LODGE WITH HIGH JINKS.

Each Season Local Members of Antlered Herd Bestow Presents Upon Needy Children With Lavish Hand and Raise Necessary Funds Through Amusing.

It looks like a big night tonight—at least to the 1500 of the antlered components of Los Angeles Lodge No. 99, B.P.O.E.

The Elks are herding in by the hundreds and the trail of each one is directed toward the lodge hall at Third and Olive streets, where tonight will witness the biggest annual Christmas jinks that even that ambitious organization has ever undertaken.

There are a number of reasons why this yearly function of the Elk folk is held after Christmas. One is that the Elks are, as a lodge, usually too busily engaged in carrying Christmas cheer to the poor and unfortunate to be able to do much in the way of a collective celebration themselves.

Every year Lodge No. 99 turns out its pockets and lets down the bars of the exchequer to furnish the wherewithal of what is known as the Orphans' Charity Fund. Every year "Deacon" C. G. Pyle and his staff of assistants make the rounds of all the charitable institutions to find out what the children are expecting Santa Claus to bring them. A report is made and No. 99 goes down into its several jeans and digs up whatever is necessary to make the dreams come true.

This year is remarkable for such charitable work. Christmas cheer was carried to 1200 orphans of Los Angeles and vicinity in the shape of several wagon loads of dolls, bats, balls, toys, clothing, shoes, and so on. The total expenditures came to $1300, or an average of $1.50 to each child. It is worth mentioning that only two of the 1200 were the children of Elks, and those were sent here from the Honolulu lodge.

The "jinks" are held primarily for the purpose of replenishing the treasury, every dollar of the receipts to go to defraying the cost of the orphans' gifts. In past years there has usually been a deficit to be made up by popular subscription, but the elaborate scope of the preparations this time gives reason to hope that there will be cash in plenty.

There is to be a great and mysterious entertainment on the third floor of the lodge hall. What it is nobody knows except Chairman Leo Youngworth and his associates and they are not saying, except vague words to the effect that "you never saw anything like it."

In the main lobby will be a Christmas tree twenty-five feet high and thirty-five from side to side, specially imported from Oregon for the purpose and bearing something like 200 Christmas presents for the different members of the lodge. The handling of the tree is being looked after by Ervin Dingle and George T. Cline, the latter will officiate as Santa Claus.

Lastly there will be a banquet on the lower floor that will sate the faculties to the utmost. An entertaining and characteristic programme has been arranged for this by Master of Ceremonies Frank Bryson, who is also going about with an air of profound mystery. Seven hundred covers will be laid and, at that, there will be a scramble for accommodation.

All of that is strictly stag—or perhaps strictly Elk. There will, however, be innings for the ladies next Saturday night, when a programme of hardly smaller pretensions has been arranged for their special benefit. Many of the wives and sweethearts have made arrangements to be there to help see the old year out. There will be an elaborate New Years' supper, served in the banquet hall, a characteristic vaudeville show by home talent and finally a dance which will last until 1911 has been safely started on its way.

Parson Fired.

OBJECTED TO HIS OVERALLS.

BAKERSFIELD CONGREGATION WANTED ALL OF HIS TIME.

Pastor Justifies His Conduct By Saying He Was Trying to Earn Money to Pay Debts—Medicine Man For the Piutes is Shot by a Fanatical Red.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because he accepted employment as a common laborer to help out his salary of $100 per month, Rev. A. G. Mills, pastor of the Christian Church of this city, has been notified that his services are no longer desired by the church board. Talk among members of the congregation is to the effect that the church fathers did not like to see this pastor driving about the streets in overalls, but the members of the board deny that this affected their decision. We paid him for all his time and thought we ought to have it, is the way they put it.

Mills, who came here from New York, and who has a family of three children, said that he had borrowed money to move across the continent and was working on the side to lift the debt. The affair has made much talk among the congregation and about town.

MEDICINE MAN SHOT.

Juan George, leading medicine man of the Piute Indians at Kernville, about seventy-five miles from here, was shot to death last Friday night by Marque, another Piute, who claimed George possessed evil influence over him. Marque with true Indian characteristic when he believes he is right, refused to flee, and was arrested by Constable Bert Hight.

George was shot from his buggy and fell into the roadway. Marque fired from ambush believing he was not safe when within sight or reach of George, whose reputation for sobriety and honesty among the whites and Piutes was unimpeached.

A few weeks ago Marque was stabbed by Barney Wells, another Indian who was sent to San Quentin for the deed.

AWFUL MIX-UP.

George Becker ran amuck at the Maple Ranch of Miller and Lux and stabbed two men, also receiving severe cuts in a card game row, John Traho, the dealer, shot Charles Boyden, a gambler, through the breast. William Nichols, a bystander, was slightly wounded. Boyden will recover. Traho was arrested.

MEXICAN STABBED.

An unknown Mexican, aged about 35 years, was stabbed to death on the desert near Mojave Sunday night. His slayer, believed to be a comrade of the dead man's on the Los Angeles aqueduct, escaped. Robbery was the motive, the shoes of the Mexican being stolen.

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SAVE CITY BY STRONG MEANS.

Vigilance Committee May Drive Out Dynamiters.

Business Men Plan to Handle Grave Situation.

Hunt For the Criminals Is Pushed Secretly.

As a result of the dynamite outrages a Vigilance Committee may be formed by the representative business men of Los Angeles. The matter was discussed with gravity yesterday morning at a joint meeting of some of the most representative civic organizations, but definite action was postponed until a future date.

For over an hour members of the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association discussed the question from every angle. Some favored the calling of a monster mass meeting to obtain the sentiment of the public at large, while others suggested that a committee chosen from among those present could make sufficient inquiries for the purpose of sounding the public feeling.

It was the sentiment of the assemblage, however, that the situation demands immediate attention, and that it is of a character that might not necessitate gloves. The speakers told of the destruction of the Times Building and murder of twenty-one employees on the morning of October 1, and the infamous plot that resulted in the dynamiting of the Llewellyn plant. The reign of terror as planned by the labor unions for Los Angeles was also discussed, and some conjecture made on the property selected by the union hirelings for their next blow-up.

A VIGILANCE COMMITTEE.

Whatever diversity there was concerning the methods to be employed in handling the situation, all appeared united in the belief that the time has arrived for the creation of a Vigilance Committee. It was also brought out that the committee would deal sharply with those who have planned the destruction of the industrial plants of the city. It was plainly apparent that when the necessity arrives for such action, willing hands will be ready to take up the defense of the city against the murderous onslaughts of these enemies of progress.

For the purpose of centralizing the efforts of the police on the dynamiting inquiry, the Mayor decided yesterday not to officially report the latest depredation of the laborites—the explosion of the Llewellyn plant—to the Council. Originally it was the belief of the Mayor that another appropriation similar to the one passed for the unearthing of the Times Building dynamiters, would be necessary. After going over the situation carefully, however, he decided that greater and more efficient service could be gained from the police, if it was handled like any routine police matter.

Since the reward of $10,000 was posted by the Council for the discovery and arrest of the Times Building dynamiters, such a large number of private detective concerns became engaged in the hunt that the members of the local police detective force lost interest. To offset this in the Llewellyn quest, however, the Mayor propose to have the entire detective force prosecute the search.

That the members of the grand jury summoned to investigate the destruction of The Times building may be called upon to take up the inquiry regarding the Llewellyn Iron Works dynamiting, gained credence yesterday when a committee of jurors was closeted for more than an hour with Special Prosecutor Rogers and Superior Judge Bordwell. Just what was discussed could not be learned from any of those present, but it is authoritatively announced that the Llewellyn matter was discussed, and the advisability of having the present jury make the investigation.

Judge Bordwell is in favor of the present grand jury investigating the Llewellyn dynamiting, owing to the great expense that the county would be put to if an entirely new jury were chosen for the work.

The crowd that has thronged the vicinity of Until some definite action is taken for the better policing of the picket-infested district, the members of the Llewellyn Company have determined to inaugurate an arc-light system which will bathe the plant in light, so that no skulkers, bent on a repetition of Sunday morning's crime, can reach the plant walls without being discovered. It will also tend to lend accuracy to the aim of the watchmen, if necessity for shooting arises.

NO LEAKS IN HUNT.

The greatest secrecy is maintained by the police and the Pinkertons in the investigation of the Llewellyn dynamiting. The officers have systematized the work in such a way that the responsibility of a leak in the evidence can be focused.

The investigation is being prosecuted by the police detectives under Capt. Flammer, and the Pinkertons under Capt. Fraser. The investigation by the District Attorney's office is in charge of Special Investigator Browne.

Owing to the intensely secretive methods inaugurated by the investigators, little is known as to their success. Earl Rogers, when questioned yesterday, stated that the arrest of one or more perpetrators of the crime will surely be made before the end of the week. He declined to state where or how the arrest will be effected.

Since the investigation of the Llewellyn dynamiting took definite form three police detectives, who are known to have been assigned to the case, have been missing from police headquarters. They have been in Los Angeles all the while, but have not reported at the Central Station. It is authoritatively stated that they are working in conjunction with the Pinkertons, and are making their reports to Capt. Fraser. This, it is understood, is done so that they can come and go without being continually bombarded with questions by energetic newspapermen.

ANGELENO GETS CONTRACT.

The commission to prepare plans for the proposed new Ventura county courthouse was yesterday officially awarded by the Supervisors of that county to Architect Albert C. Martin of this city. Martin will at once draw sketches and make estimates for a structure to cost between $200,000 and $250,000.

CAUGHT IN SHAFT.

Ernest Gislow, 27 years old, living at No. 1155 East Twenty-eighth street, was badly bruised yesterday afternoon when he was caught by a revolving shaft in the Maier Brewing Company's plant. At the Receiving Hospital he was said to be suffering from bruises and cuts in many parts of his body and might develop internal injuries.

"Want" Ads for the Midwinter.

If you have a "want" or wish to sell, exchange or lease your property, use the Classified Section of The Midwinter Number of The Times, issued January 1. Costs a trifle, three cents per word; presents your ad to a country-wide circulation of home seekers and buyers.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

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to see how Frank's presence added materially to the festivities and gave him a few hours in which to get out of town.

William Hatfield, who had a threatening countenance, declared he had considerable experience carrying gasoline for automobiles in the East, and thought he might lend a hand to the aeroplanes. He was also given a few hours in which to "dust."

"You hydro-carbon taxidermists, who have come down here to stuff aviators with gasoline better fly your own kites, for if we hold another meet up here in this court room it will be six months 'by plane,'" is the way it was put to them.

STATUTORY CRIME.
GRAVE OFFENSE CHARGED.

John J. McGivern who conducts a small sanatorium on Pasadena avenue was held yesterday for a perliminary examination on a felony charge and on a charge of committing a statutory offense.

The date of the examination was fixed for December 23. D. F. McLaughlin, a Humane officer, who investigated the charges and the young woman sent to the sanatorium will appear as witnesses against McGivern at the examination.

I. W. W. Fined.

James Carrol, a member of the I. W. W., who struck a man at Second and Los Angeles street Monday because he did not like the way the other man sat on the curbstone was given a sentence of $15 or fifteen days yesterday by Police Judge Rose. He had the money. Carroll is a "soapbox orator," whose chief aim seems to be to tell the men loafing in the vicinity of First and Los Angeles streets that they are "oppressed" and to receive applause for the same. He made the wrong gesture, however, Monday when he struck a man he saw sitting on the curb.

ONE CHANGE IN BOARD.

Supervisors Will Assemble Next Tuesday Without a Chairman and Organize.

The old Board of Supervisors held its last meeting yesterday. When it convenes again, Sidney A. Butler will be in the chair formerly occupied by "Tus" Eldridge. This will be the only change in the personnel.

The retiring and incoming Supervisors have become quite "chummy" in the last few weeks. During the last two or three meetings Butler has sat at Eldridge's elbow, in order to get a few lessons in running the business of the county.

Eldridge has set a good example in the matter of conserving road funds. When he took office his district was about $9000 in debt. He will turn over to his successor more than $20,000 of old funds. In a few days, Butler will be apportioned nearly as much more from the last levy of taxes.

When the Supervisors assemble next Tuesday they will be without a chairman. Nellis' term as such will expire at noon Monday. The County Clerk will call them to order and they will proceed to organize.

The chairmanship has not yet been definitely settled. Neither Supervisor Pridham nor Manning would not refuse the place. As they have been intimately associated in their official work and have usually voted as one, there may be some fun before the chairmanship is conferred.

It has previously been the custom for the hold-over Supervisors and the new ones to hold a caucus before the new terms begin. This has not been done this year.

It is understood that neither the votes of McCabe or Neilis have been solicitated by either of the two men who desire to have the honor of presiding.

It is certain that neither McCabe nor Neilis would agree to vote for either Manning or Pridham without they were guaranteed that they would have a certain amount of patronage.

It is probable that an agreement between Pridham and Manning would settle the chairmanship, as it is likely that Butler would vote for either of them, if they could decide which one should receive the other's vote.

It is possible that Pridham may be satisfied with the chairmanship of the House Committee, which how has the control of all of the public buildings with the exception of the County Hospital. The County Farm is in Nellis' district but for several years has been in the charge of the Supervisor from the Third District.

If Pridham withdraws in favor of Manning, these two Supervisors, with the assent of Butler, can divide up all of the patronage as they see fit and Nellis and McCabe could make all of the noise they desired and not achieve anything.

Nellis' only hope of remaining as chairman is a split between Pridham and Manning. If they both remain in the race, thus deadlocking the proposition, he might get the vote of one of them and be re-elected. He is certain of McCab's vote if he has any chance to win.

PASSING OF BIG BEN.

Monkey With Strong Human Characteristics Victim of Car—Carried Two Hundred Life Insurance.

Having one wife and a child, whom he leaves amply provided for, Big Ben, a pig-tailed ape, owned by the proprietor of one of the Main-street museums, died yesterday morning at 3 o'clock.

When the soul of Big Ben left his body it is not extravagant to say that the monkey was surrounded by true friends who lamented his death as sincerely as though he had been human. Indeed, Big Ben possessed a distinct individuality and he must have had a soul, since he not only loved the ape who was his wife, and the tot which she hugs in her arms as tenderly as any human mother might cherish the infant at her own bosom, but he also possessed the most delightful of all qualities—good manners.

Unfortunately, Big Ben was also near-human in the matter of temper. He could be vexed like a mortal and since he had no cords between his ears and his throat to make speech possible, so that he might swear, his only outlet of feeling when angered was to tear around in his cage. Last Friday, tormented by spectators, he burst the bars of his cage and escaped to the street. With his head turned to watch the boy who pursued him, Big Ben failed to notice the approach of a street car. It struck him and fractured his skull. His sufferings seemed not unlike those of a man who has been injured, and in the one moment in which he regained what might be called consciousness, he looked up tearfully at his owner and keeper and whimpered pitifully.

Big Ben was so humanized that he had not escaped commercialism, his life having been insured for $200.

FORECASTS A REPUBLIC.

Hotelman Back From England Asserts People's Unrest Presages Doom to a Monarchical Government.

"England is in such a political turmoil that the average British citizen knows less of that which is actually happening in public circles than the American who reads the concise and well-worded dispatches in the American papers," said John S. Mitchell, of the Hollenbeck, who returned yesterday after two months passed in England and France.

"The unrest of England is such that few of the people are aware of absolute conditions. What the middle and lower classes are looking for, and what would not be surprising if realized in the next ten years, is a republic. On a single day while we were in London, there were imports of $300,000 worth of goods, which came in direct competition with goods of exactly the same kind manufactured in England and which sold frequently at a lower gure.

"That explained the many closed factories in the smaller towns, the factory sites offered throughout the kingdom at low figures. The British manufacturers have come to the place where singly they cannot compete with foreign concerns and are forced to combine or close down completely.

"The wealth of England is not remaining in the country. People who have money are using it in Canada, the United States, Mexico and any foreign country where investments pay big dividends. This may be attested by the great amount of English capital invested in the mines and the oil fields of our own Southwest. This section of the country is looked upon by English capitalists as one of the best in the world in which to place money.

"Southern California is also the best advertised country in all of Europe. In London, Paris, Glasgow, wherever we traveled in the northern part of Europe, Los Angeles was well known. It stands out as the Riviera of America, and there is an expressed desire on the part of all the people we came in contact with to come here, and many of them will come."

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You will say the values are astounding—unprecedented at this season! Women's ready-to-wear garments of the Hamburger high quality, at half and less! Throngs of delighted women are taking advantage!

Pre-Inventory Specials
15c Fleeced Flannels, special at, yard
15c Kimono Flannels, Pre-Inventory price
12 1-2c Extra Heavy Blea. Shaker Flannel
15c Fancy 36-inch Outing Flannel, yard
15c White Outing Flannel, special, yard
18c Fine Shirting Madras, in this sale
12½c Dress Gingham, excellent quality
15c to 20c Fancy Dress Reps, special

Importer's Sale of Sample Flowers Continued—Unparalleled Success
Never in the history of Hamburger's has there been a more enthusiastic response to an offering of special values—never in their history have Hamburger's offered values so astounding. Such an opportunity comes but seldom, and Los Angeles women need no second bidding to take the fullest advantage. They're going fast. Come!

Come early and come every day of this sale.
Pre-Inventory Sale

—A sale that will establish new records for value-giving. In the Ready-to-Wear Section sensational price cuts are in force; all through the Big White Store are phenomenal bargains—some advertised here—showing that Hamburger's are lightening stocks—clearing out irregular lines, etc., with a vim.

Wednesday of the Pre-Inventory Sale. Tuesday's success. All items specially advertised. Follow the signs—they point liberal savings.

Toilet Sets . . 1/4 OFF
Sterling silver toilet sets in cases, military brush sets, manicure sets, etc., in this Pre-Inventory Sale priced one-quarter less than regular .....

Handbags . . 1/4 OFF
Every bag in our stock priced from $7.50 to $35, is included in this Pre-Inventory price. An opportunity to get genuine bargains here.

50c Handkerchfs. 39c
3 in a Box, Only..... Of pure linen, with the popular Madeira embroidered corners. One of the very best holiday sellers at 50c a box. Just a few left, and they will go at 39c.

Pre-Inventory Blanket Sale
Substantial reductions on 10-4 blankets—gray, vicuna and red—just when you'll want them.

$2.75 to $3.95 Blankets, exceptional values, now..... $2.19
$4.00 to $4.95 Blankets, now specially priced at..... $2.95
$7.50 Wool Blankets, excellent quality, now..... $4.95

In Conjunction With the Pre-Inventory Sale We Offer
Women's Sample Underwear
Bought at a Great Sacrifice From the Ely, Walker Dry Goods Co.—To Be Sold at Proportionally Low Prices—4 Big Lots

A special purchase of more than ordinary importance—a typical instance of Hamburger merchandising by which we are enabled to offer unprecedented savings on goods of unquestioned high quality. A timely sale of irresistible values. Main Floor.

Lot No. 1 — Women's fine cotton vests, either high or low neck, also ankle length pants to match. Remarkable values, dependable quality. Garment..... 25c

Lot No. 2 — Women's vests, pants and union suits. Vests high or low neck, pants ankle length, union suits either high or low neck, knee or ankle. Each..... 50c

Lot No. 3 — Women's jersey ribbed wool vests and pants. Vests with high neck and long sleeves, pants ankle length. Also Swiss ribbed, heavy weight lisle vests, high neck and lisle union suits, in high or low neck styles. 95c

Lot No. 4 — Women's all wool, jersey ribbed, high neck, long sleeved vests and ankle length pants; also non-shrinkable wool mixed and all wool union suits, high neck and ankle length, and lisle union suits, low neck. $1.50

Jewelry
No reserves. Hamburger's jewelry, gold-filled and sterling, also novelties, bargains to go Wednesday.

Belts at
Every belt in elastic, suede, leather, reduced in price one-fourth, a great advantage.

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Curtains 1/3 to 1/2 Off The Regular Price! That's What This Sale Really Means!
A sale absolutely without a precedent. The cleverest weaves of the season in white, Arabian and ivory, in lengths from 2½ to 3½ yards. To close them out before taking inventory we have marked them at from a third to a half less than regular. It's an opportunity worth taking advantage of. Come.

Lace Curtains for $1.00
At no previous sale has there been such values. Double-twisted thread Nottinghams; some with new double border effects, in white or Arabian. And per pair, only $1.

And This Line at $2.00
Cablet net, madras weaves and combination net lace curtains. Some new ideas in mission designs and double border effects also included. Really, they're all $3 values.

And These Only $3.00
Fine Scotch lace, madras and double action Nottingham weaves in the season's choicest patterns. Extraordinary values here that could not be duplicated. Take note.

Lace Curtains; extra strong; $2.00 values $1.50
Filet Net and Madras Weaves; beauties $2.50
Extra Fine Cable Nets, Madras, etc., for $3.50
Handsome Lace Curtains; many designs $5.00

Pre-Inventory Sale of Men's and Women's Shoes
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